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WASHINGTON.

DIVISION IN RANKS.

Newlands Bill Fails to Satisfy.

No Safeguards Against Land Speculators.

Irrigationists Will Try for Different Legislation.

Treaties With Britain and Denmark—Secretary Long to Retire—Nominations.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] There has been a falling-out among the irrigationists. The Newlands bill has been so amended by the committee of seventeen, representing the arid-land States, in their desire to secure harmony, that George H. Maxwell, representative of the national association, has come out in a broadside, declaring that the bill no longer merits support. In fact, conservative friends of irrigation are preparing to cut loose from the Newlands bill in its present form, and turn their energies in another direction. This means such a division in the ranks that the legislative outcome is left more than ever in doubt.

The so-called "Wyoming gang" has secured changes in the Newlands bill by which all safeguards against speculative ownership of irrigated lands have been removed. They have also inserted a clause that "State and Territorial laws shall govern and control in the appropriation, use and distribution of waters rendered available by works constructed under the provisions of this act." This is the old game to get the government to pay the cost, and turn the work over to the States for State politicians to manage in the line of their private and other interests.

Maxwell justly remarks that "no one needs a microscope to find bugs in the bill. They invite and make certain its defeat. Every open opponent of national irrigation will hail it as a confirmation of the charge that the whole movement is a scheme of speculators and land-grabbers to loot the national treasury for private profit."

RECIPROCITY WITH CUBA.

FORTY PER CENT. THE BASIS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The Republican members of the Ways and Means Committee were in private conference for three hours this afternoon on the subject of Cuban reciprocity, and although the conference went over until tomorrow, the members find themselves for the first time in possession of a proposition commanding much strength, and understood to represent the attitude of the administration.

This proposition was brought forward by Representative Long of Kansas, and authorized the President, when Cuba should be prepared to grant a 40 per cent. reduction in duties on United States exports to the island, to grant to Cuba a similar reduction of 40 per cent. on all the products of the island coming to the United States. This was a straight reciprocity proposition, each side granting 40 per cent. reduction without the complications appearing in some of the other propositions as to the method of payment, etc.

Mr. Long's proposition drew out extended discussion, in which Mr. Payne, the chairman, and Mr. Call indicated a disposition to support it.

Various other propositions were put forward and discussed, but none took definite form beyond that of Mr. Long. It is understood that the issue is likely to be made on this proposition, since it is believed to represent the concessions which the administration believes should be granted on each side.

PROVING CLAIMS TO BLOOD OF PATRIOTS.

DAUGHTERS OF THE REVOLUTION ISSUING A LINEAGE BOOK.

Historian of Order Expects Them to Stimulate Flower of Patriotism So as to Root Out the Rank Weed of Anarchism.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Much discussion as to the actual date of the beginning of the revolution followed the reading of the register-general's report in the convention of the Daughters of the American Revolution today. The consensus of opinion was that the revolutionary period began in 1765 with the opposition to the stamp act.

MRS. COULTON NOMINATED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Nominees for vice-president-general followed. Among the many named are Mrs. D. D. Coulton, California, and Mrs. Ella P. Sterns, Colorado. Mrs. Peale was unanimously elected registrar-general.

At tonight's session most of the time was taken up with the reading of the report of Mrs. Darwin, the treasurer-general. The report already has been published.

Other reports submitted during the evening included those of Miss Susan R. Hetzel, historian-general; Bettl Beck Goodloe, assistant historian-general, and Mrs. Julia T. McBlair, librarian-general. Miss Hetzell reported as follows:

"During the past year two volumes of the lineage book have been issued. Every effort has been made to rank them as historically correct as possible. Dissatisfaction has been expressed in some quarters, because they are not published more rapidly, but the editor, Mrs. Sanders Johnston of Tennessee, has to write many letters to so prove the service of each ancestor as to make the lineage book of real value. Twenty-five daughters of revolutionary patriots have passed away during the year. One of the number was Mrs. Mary A. Washington, our first real daughter. Another real daughter was Mrs. Melvina J. Rowell, who died at Charltonville, Cal. She was the youngest child of Daniel Chapin of Newport, a revolutionary patriot.

"Three hundred and twenty-one sets of the lineage books have been distributed among the chapters during the year. They should so stimulate the flower of patriotism all over this land that the rank weed of anarchism that has robbed us of our beloved President William McKinley, may be rooted out."

RIGHTS TO TRADE MARKS.

STATUS OF ISLAND RESIDENTS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The Attorney-General, in response to an inquiry from the Secretary of the Interior, has rendered a decision as to

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News Under to The Times This Morning

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CLASSIFIED NEWS SYNOPSIS.

THE CITY. Espee lays third track over East Side streets to block Pasadena line....Playwright-Manager Rosenbaum acts "Unique" to death. Lowe's gas "stink plant" berated by Eighth Ward citizens in mass meeting. New turn in Dr. Spinks's oil-stock suit. E. S. Blasdel dies suddenly in Van Nuys hallway....Huge graders removing southwest Los Angeles earth. Little Gertrude Cohen plays for Josef Hofmann....Young Charles Manwearing sent to penitentiary....More city water to be developed in wells....Mrs. Mack Southern California champion woman bowler....Trouble just begun in Reid's crooked tangle....Teacher Holloway's socialistic free-love doings his undoing at Hemet....Franchise battle today with Huntington people said to be sparring for time....Chance to get rid of public market....Longnamed "hall grafter" on trial....Potter and Bilhorn on home stretch....Judge Wellborn scores lawyer....Chickens in Police Court.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Pasadena nurse dies in County Hospital. School of giant devil fish seen off San Pedro....Three parties in Long Beach municipal politics....Joe Williams released from Santa Ana jail, but still in custody....Riverside firemen tendered a banquet....Large reduction of force in Santa Fé shops at San Bernardino. Daring robbery at San Diego....High tide along the coast near Santa Maria.

COAST. Nearing end of lynching trial....Abandoned schooner endangers navigation....Between fire and water. Brought coolies in....Railway men run over....Anti-Chinese resolutions...New university club....Through fish train. Lineman badly burned.

RAILROADS. Attack on merger by government surprises bankers....Santa Fé makes low rate to Coast....Transcontinental bureau hears shippers.

WASHINGTON. Congressional proceedings....Arrangements for Prince Henry.....Ordered to Philippines. Loud's pet scheme barred....Long on the Schley case....Gov. Taft continues giving information....Irrigationists fall out.

FOREIGN. England doubts not Russia's good faith....Civil war in Spain. Battle in Colombia...."Thunderer" comments on Hay's protest....Italian Parliament convenes....Twenty-fifth year of Leo's pontificate...Boers cut off British regiment....Rich gold and copper mines discovered....Bombastes Furioso in Canada....Venezuela gains a victory....Prussian mines bill...English women want to vote.

EASTERN. How Jones killed Rice. Young Roosevelt improving....Rich Montana silver ore....Lee Turner captured....Snake Indians enraged...Muddled Kansas City Democrats....Dr. Kinyoun resigns....Congressman Watson renominated....Sporty bank clerk played against magnets....Jumbo ship launched.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL. Citrus fruits in the East....New York stock review....Chicago wheat pit. General market reports.

CIVIL WAR IN SPAIN.

Trouble Extending to Many Cities.

Hundreds Are Wounded and Killed in Riots.

Martial Law to Be Proclaimed Throughout Country.

Artillery Said to Have Been Used in Barcelona With Awful Loss of Life.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MADRID, Feb. 20.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Premier Sagasta is preparing a decree establishing martial law throughout Spain. The signature of the decree, it is believed, will be followed by an extreme national crisis.

It was persistently said after the Chamber of Deputies closed this evening that the Minister of War, Gen. Weyler, had a long conference with the Queen Regent yesterday, followed by a conference with the military authorities today. Afterward, it is asserted, arms and ball cartridges were served out to the troops in Madrid, who were in readiness to start at a moment's notice.

BATTLES IN BARCELONA.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MADRID, Feb. 20.—According to telegrams received here late tonight from Barcelona, the street fighting there still continues. The heavy rain which fell during the day helped to disperse the rioters, and the authorities are taking severe measures.

A proclamation has been issued ordering all private individuals to surrender any weapons they may possess, under pain of severe penalties. The sale of arms has also been prohibited.

Forty workmen's associations have been dissolved, and the members of their committees arrested. The dwellings of the strike leaders and of anarchists are being registered and put under guard.

The battleship Pelaya has been ordred to Barcelona. The military engineers have assumed control of the street car service, and a few cars, half filled with soldiers, are running. Even the funeral coaches have to be protected by the soldiers. No letters have been delivered in Barcelona in three days, and in some distant parts of the town business is completely paralyzed.

A pitched battle occurred in the outskirts of the city between the strikers and the military, and the escort attached to several wagons that were bringing in provisions. The contents of the wagon were dragged out, and barricades were built across the road. The rails have been torn up to prevent trains from entering the city.

The strike movement has begun to spread seriously. At Castellon de la Plana, taking advantage of the night and of the absence of the police, the strikers set fire to two factories, with the aid of petroleum. The factories were burned. At a woman's meeting held at Castello de la Plana a general strike was voted.

At Saragossa most of the factories have already closed, on the demands of the workmen, and the strikers are bringing pressure to bear to compel the factories still remaining open to close their doors. The captain-general of Saragossa has wired for reinforcements.

A strike commenced at Valencia, but owing to the refusal of the dock laborers to participate, it did not become general. The police at Valencia, assisted by the troops, have up to the present time been able to maintain order there.

It is learned late tonight that martial law has been proclaimed at Manresa, about thirty miles northwest of Barcelona and at Saragossa. At the latter place the troops have occupied a strategic position in order to check the disturbances.

Official telegrams received here describe a slight improvement in the situation at Barcelona, and officials tonight seem more hopeful.

Owing to the strict censorship of news from Barcelona, it is difficult to ascertain the real state of affairs there. It is quite certin, however, that all the efforts of the authorities to persuade the labor leaders into a conciliatory attitude have so far failed, and the extension of the strike movement is more likely than its restriction. In addition to the labor movement the ever-present Catalan home-rule agitation is likely to prove a serious factor in the situation. One hopeful sign is the fact that almost alone among the ministers and governing authorities, Gen. Weyler is in sympathy with the Catalonian demands, and is inclined to study their grievances. He has held military commands in Catalonia, speaks the Catalan language, and thoroughly understands the situation.

The government declines to publish figures of the casualties in the riots of Tuesday and Wednesday. It is inferred from private information received here that 40 persons were killed and 200 wounded during the encounters of those days, and that 500 arrests have been made. All persons who were slightly wounded were concealed by their friends in order to avoid prosecution.

Women took a prominent share in the riots, and were more violent than the men. Among the incidents related of the disorders at Barcelona is the case of a policeman who fell a victom to his resemblance to an inspector named Tiesolz, who is much hated by the anarchists. The policeman mistaken for the inspector was assassinated.

The telegraph lines have been cut between Sabadell and Tarrasa. It is feared the strike will next extend to Seville and Verona, and a ministerial crisis is not an unlikely outcome of the trouble. It transpired that last Sunday several workmen's meetings were held in Barcelona. The principal meeting was held at the Circo Espanol, and was attended by 6000 persons. Teresa Claramunt, the notorious agitator Bonfulia and other anarchists made violent speeches at this meeting in favor of a general strike. This idea was instantly adopted, and the intervention of the government agents, who always attend such meetings, was openly spurned.

DREADFUL SLAUGHTER.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 20.—A message to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Barcelona, via Perpignan, France, says a fierce battle has been fought between the troops and the rioters in the suburb of Barcelona, known as Sano. Before the engagement the cavalry and infantry had been posted in the most dangerous points, and a field battery had been located on the plaza, from which vantage point the guns could sweep the surrounding streets. When the final clash with the troops occurred the artillery was brought into action and raked street after street. The rioters engaged the batteries at close range, but were finally driven off. It is reported that 500 persons were killed and wounded on both sides. The entire neighborhood was wrecked by the shells. The ruins caught fire, and this completed the destruction.

Further fighting is reported at Mataro, fifteen miles from Barcelona, where a quantity of arms had been discovered. Fighting is also reported at Tortosa and Tarragona, respectively, 100 and 50 miles southwest of Barcelona.

REPORT FROM CERBERE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CERBERE (Spain) Feb. 20, 6 p.m.—Serious fighting is proceeding in all parts of Barcelona. A number of persons have already been killed or wounded. Troops are arriving rapidly at Barcelona from all other districts. The outbreak today between the strikers and the troops began in Paraido, Asalto and Rambla streets, where many shots were exchanged. A general panic prevails in Barcelona.

ANARCHISTS ARE RINGLEADERS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MADRID, Feb. 20.—The newspapers here comment on the situation at Barcelona in a tone of supressed anxiety. While confessing that the warnings have been frequent and persistent for several years past, they say that hitherto the lack of funds and organization have compelled the trades unions to yield, especially as the employers, enriched by protection, were willing to grant the concessions suggested by the authorities to avert greater difficulties. Now, however, the employers are suffering from overproduction, and the loss of the colonial markets and are less inclined to concede, while the Socialists have secured a majority in the workmen's clubs. The trades unions are working with the anarchists to spur the workmen to take advantage of the difficult economic situation, and terrorize the authorities into forcing the employers to yield to the demands for increased wages, shorter hours, etc.

According to the news received here, a reign of terror prevails at Barcelona. The printers on strike have threatened death to any of their comrades daring to resume work. There have been many cases where armed strikers concealed themselves and "snipe" the troops. At San Martin, a suburb of Barcelona, the strikers fired from the house tops on the troops. The latter thereupon fired at the balconies, killing a woman and child. In one conflict in the center of the town six men were killed and three wounded. The owner of a factory was stabbed and killed by the strikers. It is alleged that already 200 persons have been killed and 100 wounded at Barcelona, but the authorities conceal the real figures. All the theaters are closed. The strikers assemble on the railroad bridges and fusillade the trains with stones. They threaten to use dynamite unless the railroad companies stop running trains.

REVOLUTION PREDICTED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MADRID, Feb. 20.—In the Chamber of Deputies today Señor Robert, Deputy from the province of Catalonia, interpellated the government on the recent events at Barcelona. The Minister of the Interior, Señor Gonzales, replying on behalf of the government, accepted full responsibility therefor. Romero Robledo, supporting Señor Robert, said the government did not have enough guns and rifles to suppress a social revolution if one broke out everywhere. Señor Robledo denounced the censorship over telegraphic news from Barcelona, and insisted that the fact that labor problems existed in other countries did not excuse the government of Spain.

In the Senate today Gen. Weyler, the Minister of War, said that while the situation at Barcelona had not yet improved, it had not grown worse. He said the street service there was partially in operation, and that the bakeries and the groceries were open in spite of the strike.

There had been no disturbance at Saragossa and Rets. At Castellon de La Plana, the War Minister said, the gendarmes had dispersed groups of strikers, and if it became necessary, he would call out the First Reserves.

Señor Sagasta, President of the Council, repudiated any desire to suppress the truth concerning events at Barcelona. He declared the government sought time to solve the social problems, and appealed to the good will of the Deputies to assist the government in this task.

After renewed attacks by Señor Robledo, the debate was adjourned. The papers this (Friday) morning report many persons killed and wounded during Thursday's conflict at Barcelona.

The Heraldo says: "The captain-general of Catalonia has asked for more troops, as the rioters are getting out of hand."

ENORMOUS ICE GORGE.

Danger Along the Allegheny.

Any Flood Would Be a Record-breaker.

Extends Seventy Miles From Pittsburgh Up River.

Dams in the Monongahela a Safeguard—Choking of Youghiogheny.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PITTSBURGH (Pa.) Feb. 20.—A sleet storm tonight, with rapidly moderating weather, and two days of rain predicted by the government weather office, promise to bring about the conditions feared for weeks past by river men and citizens generally. The great danger apprehended is from the immense gorges of ice in the Allegheny and Monongahela Rivers. The obstructions are of the most serious character, and are liable to do enormous damage to river craft moored between this point and Wheeling. Should the moderate weather and rains bring down with the ice the heavy snows from up-river points, the flood which will result is likely to be a record breaker.

The gorge in the Allegheny River extends almost without a break from Pittsburgh fully seventy miles up the river, and varies in thickness from five to fifteen feet. The ice is frozen to the bottom of the river in many places, and is damming the water, with the result that the river is rising above the gorge, and this fact points out that when the first rise comes the water will be dammed back until the valley along the river would be flooded, which would do a damage not to be computed in money.

The gorge in the Monongahela is not feared so much, because the numerous dams along its length will serve to break the ice, and make it less dangerous than in the Allegheny.

The situation was made worse today by the formation of a gorge in the Youghiogheny at Versailles and other points about McKeesport, which threatens the barges removed from the Allegheny to the Monongahela, and the other boats and barges moored in the pools below McKeesport.

The coal companies are taking every precaution for the protection of their property, and all residents in the lowlands and valleys are making ready for the expected flood.

The river from Wheeling to Parkersburg is gorged almost solid, and the river men fear this almost as much as they do the gorge in the Allegheny, for the reason that many boats are frozen to the bank at various places, and these have no way to protect themselves or their tows from the ice when it breaks. It is feared that, in addition to losing their tows, many boats will be lost, owing to the heavy ice.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Herald Square, D. J. Brownstein; at the Criterion, A. P. Schwars; at the Imperial, H. F. Vollmer; at the Earlington, Mrs. T. M. Smith of Pasadena.

KWANG HSU SNEERED.

Diplomats Rushed for the Throne and Camera Fiends Took Shots.

[NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PEKING, Feb. 20.—[By Asiatic Cable.] The Dowager Empress and the Emperor granted a New Year's audience to the diplomatic corps today. The Dowager Empress was seated on the throne, with the Emperor occupying a chair at her left, a step lower down. Baron Czikann von Wahlborn, the Austrian Minister to China, addressed a congratulatory speech to the Emperor, and Prince Ching, head of the Foreign Office, read the Emperor's reply. The Dowager Empress and Baron Czikann von Wahlborn exchanged impromptu remarks.

The second audience, like the first, was undignified because of the lack of order. The diplomats, on entering the hall, rushed toward the throne, scrambling for a sight of the imperial party. The officials said the emperor sneered noticeably several times.

As in the case of the first audience, Their Majesties were subjected to the operation of cameras, which the Chinese consider undignified.

RAILROAD RECORD.

KNOX KNOCKS THEM DIZZY.

Action Against Merger Surprises Bankers.

Makes Promise of Long Legal Battle.

Gov. Van Sant Says it Means People's Rights Will Be Protected.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Bankers of this city identified with the formation of the Northern Securities Company were greatly surprised to learn, and at first refused to believe, that Atty.-Gen. Knox is preparing a case against the company.

They pointed out that a decision on a cognate case from the Supreme Court of the United States is expected on Monday next. They were unable to understand why notice of another action should be given, pending this decision. It is stated to be the intention of both the Hill-Morgan and Kuhn-Loeb-Harriman syndicates to fight the case out to the end. All of the bankers who were seen expressed themselves as confident of the ultimate result.

A long legal battle is promised, but it is understood that no matter what the decision may be, the dominating idea which brought the Northern Securities Company into life will be substantially maintained. A contingency such as has arisen, the authorities said, was foreseen by the legal talent when the last details were arranged some months ago, and provision is made for the carrying out of the community interest idea.

Charles Steele, a member of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co., was in conference with J. P. Morgan at his residence as to the effect of the action of Atty.-Gen. Knox.

"This came as a great surprise to all of us," he said. "No such action was expected, and there has been an absolute quiet since the argument of the case for the State of Minnesota before the Supreme Court of the United States.

"After this bill in equity, as suggested by Atty.-Gen. Knox, has been filed, we will be prepared to speak of our line of defence. At present we are wholly in the dark, but I will say that a long legal battle will ensue.

"We had not heard that President Roosevelt had asked for the opinion of the Attorney-General in the matter, and although we have heard of it from several sources in the last few hours, I am inclined to doubt the report."

VAN SANT DELIGHTED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PAUL (Minn.) Feb. 20.—Gov. Van Sant this afternoon in an interview with the Associated Press regarding the proposed Federal suit against the Northern Securities Company, said:

"We expected this action by the Attorney-General of the United States would be taken. He never intimated that he could or would not proceed against the Northern Securities Company, but on the contrary, said that he would examine the facts, and if the law was being violated he would proceed.

"When Atty.-Gen. Douglass, Mr. Munn and Gen. Wilson were first in Washington, they had a long conference with Atty.-Gen. Knox, and Douglass and Munn remained over, after the argument for further conference with him, to arrange for submitting testimony to him.

"Of course, we are delighted with this decision, and the people of this State and the Northwest can rest assured that their rights will be protected, and the law vindicated."

Gen. Douglass said: "Both the Governor and myself are elated over the dictum of President Roosevelt and Atty.-Gen. Knox in taking up the fight on the merger.

"It will not interfere in the least with our suit. It will be on broader and different lines. There is not the disadvantage. The Federal authorities have much broader jurisdiction than we have in this State. We were limited to parties other than citizens of Minnesota. We could not proceed under the Sherman law, either.

"The Federal authorities have the widest jurisdiction. They can bring in the Northern Securities Company, Messrs. Hill, Morgan and everybody else connected in anyway with the merger.

"It is a great thing for the State that the Federal authorities have taken up the merger."

MAKES LOW RATE.

SANTA FE MEETS CUT.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOPEKA (Kan.) Feb. 20.—Very cheap passenger rates to the Pacific Coast are likely to be the rule during the coming spring and summer. The Santa Fé road announces today that every day during March and April that road would sell colonist tickets from points in Kansas, Oklahoma and Colorado, to common points in California, for $25. A rate of $33 from Chicago to the Pacific Coast will also be in effect. These rates are made to meet the cut by northern lines.

TRANSCONTINENTAL BUREAU.

FREIGHT SHIPPERS HEARD.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 20.—Two brief sessions of the transcontinental freight bureau were held today. The meeting listened to a number of petitions from dealers in saddlery and leather, who seek to secure a lower rate on west-bound goods. No decision has yet been reached on any article in the tariff schedule, and it seems probable that the bureau will be in session for more than a week yet.

GOVERNMENT AND MERGER.

STOCK PANIC FORESTALLED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It was learned today on authority that the government's bill in equity to test the legality of the Northern Securities Company's railway merger will not be filed before the middle of next week, and probably not much before the end of the week. The contemplated action of the President and Attorney-General in this matter caused more talk in Washington today than any other current event. Communications of various kinds on proposed action in the merger case from persons in New York were brought to the President's attention, and it was evident at the White House and Department of Justice, long before noon, that the decision to proceed against the Northern Securities Company was not popular at the financial center of the country.

Far from being heedless of the effect on business interests, there are good reasons to believe the government made at this time the announcement of its intention, in order that the financial disturbance might be as slight as possible. Had the announcement been deferred until after the decision of the Supreme Court in the Minnesota case, granting that the court's decision will be a denial of jurisdiction, the probable upward movement of stocks would have been sharply reversed by the government's announced intention to proceed against the Securities Company. As it is now, the feeling exists that today's disturbance in Wall street will not be repeated after the Supreme Court's decision, which is expected next week, and that the present excitement is not as serious as it would have been if the government's announcement had been deferred.

MARKET-STREET DEAL.

EXTENSION FOR THIRTY DAYS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The sale of the Market-street railway to a syndicate of eastern capitalists represented by the New York banking house of Brown Bros. & Co., will not be closed until the latter part of next month. It was confidently expected by the members of the Huntington-Hellman syndicate that the purchasing syndicate would take a big block of stock now held in escrow in the vaults of the Union Trust Company, and pay for it in full before March 1, which date marked the expiration of the option. At the solicitation of J. M. Duane, however, the eastern capitalists were granted an extension of thirty days, this afternoon, in which to conclude the big stock deal, so that under the arrangement, as it now stands, final payment on the purchase price of Market-street stock will not have to be made until the end of next month.

At a meeting today, Duane, who represents Brown Bros. & Co., stipulated for a month's further time, which Hellman and Huntington granted. There is no question now that the road will change hands.

SHOULD STAY WITH IT SINCE WE ARE IN IT.

GOV. TAFT ON UNCLE SAM'S PLACE IN THE PHILIPPINES.

He is Imbued With the Missionary Spirit and Sees No Honorable Way of Withdrawing from the Islands—Gen. Hughes Next to Testify.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Gov. Taft discussed climatic conditions in the Philippines today before the Senate Philippine Committee. He said that much of the sickness among the American troops is due to exposure, and he incidentally made an appeal for liberal appropriations for the construction of barracks and for the protection of officers and men. The witness thought the high death rate of troops in the Philippines was due to the guerrilla warfare, saying that it was impossible to get soldiers to observe the laws of hygiene. His experience, Gov. Taft said, was that the greatest danger in the matter of health in the Philippines is found in the neglect of symptoms which are not generally regarded as of importance in the United States. He knew, he said, of Europeans who had spent thirty or forty years in the islands, and who are in good health. He thought, however, that they generally left the islands for several months every two or three years. As a rule, continued residence had the effect of causing a gradual deterioration of health.

Gov. Taft, in reply to questions by Senator Culberson, said that the expenses of conducting the government of the islands are much higher than under Spanish rule, and that the increase would be greater this year than it had been last year. For instance, while the annual expense of conducting the government of Manila under Spanish rule was from $500,000 to $1,000,000 Mexican money, the present expense is about $1,500,000 in gold. The increase in the total was, he said, due to the increase in salaries and to the improvement of the government afforded.

"Under Spanish rule," he said, "salaries were very low—so low that they were the plainest intimation that they (the Spanish officers) expected their salaries to be pieced out by illegal collections and squeezes, and that they were so pieced out is indisputable."

PURSUING RIGHT COURSE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Replying to a series of questions, Gov. Taft said the intervention of the United States in the Philippines was the best thing that could happen for the Filipinos, but that it would have been better for our country if we had not gone there. He added: "If the result in the end proves to be in the interest of the general welfare, then we can possibly justify ourselves on the ground that we have taken only our share of the burden of civilization in bringing out an uncivilized people."

Continuing the general discussion of conditions in the Philippines, he expressed the opinion that the trade with the United States will ultimately increase, and the islands will be self-supporting, even to the extent of paying the expenses of the United States army there.

"Do you believe that what we are now doing in the Philippines is best for the Filipinos, and for the people of the United States, as well?" askd Senator Allison.

"I do," said Gov. Taft. "We are pursuing there the only course open to us, and it was absolutely impossible for us to pursue any other course than the one we did pursue and are pursuing there. If the Senators on that side of the table (referring to the Democratic members of the committee) had been there, they could not have done differently, and when their party comes into power, if it should do so, they cannot do anything but go ahead."

Senator Culberson asked: "If a safe and honorable opening for withdrawing from the islands should present itself, do you think the United States should avail itself of it?"

Gov. Taft replied: "That question assumes that there might be such an opening. I don't think there will be, and I say no. Possessed, as I believe I am, with the missionary spirit, I think that we should continue our work in those islands now that we are there, and there is no likelihood of finding honorable ways out."

Gov. Taft was excused at the conclusion of the sitting, and the committee adjourned until next Tuesday, with the understanding that Gen. Hughes will be the next witness.

DRY GOODS STORE BURNED.

RICHMOND (Va.) Feb. 20.—The large dry goods store of Cordes & Mosby, on Broad street, with the entire stock, was destroyed by fire tonight. Loss $120,000.

SOUTH AFRICA.

BOERS HOED BATTLE FIELD.

Cut Off Crack Regiment of Dragoons.

Hamilton Vainly Tries to Dislodge Them.

Scots Greys are Surrounded by Burghers and Forced to Surrender.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 20.—A detachment of the Scots Greys (Second Dragoons,) one of Great Britain's crack dragoon regiments, has been cut up by the Boers at Klipdam. Maj. C. W. M. Fellden and Capt. E. Ussher were severely wounded, two men were killed, six were wounded and forty-six captured. The news was received this morning from Lord Kitchener in a dispatch dated Pretoria, Wednesday, February 19.

The Scots Greys formed part of Gen. Gilbert Hamilton's column. The latter, while moving on Nigel, February 18, engaged a force of Boers at Klipdam. The Scots Greys became detached, were surrounded and cut off. Gen. Hamilton was unable to dislodge the Boers from their position, so he continued his march toward Nigel. The Boers released the Scots Greys, who had been made prisoners.

WOLF JOINS BOER.

HORSES IN THE REICHSRATH.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

VIENNA, Feb. 20.—[By Atlantic Cable.] In the Reichsrath today Herr Wolf, the Pan-German leader, gave notice of an interpellation inviting the Austrian government, in conjunction with the government of Hungary, to prohibit the export of horses from Austria and Hungary to South Africa, and thus maintain neutrality.

VISIT FROM KRUGER.

AMONG THE POSSIBILITIES.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BRUSSELS, Feb. 20.—[By Atlantic Cable.] It is said in Boer circles that if Messrs. Wolmerans and Wessels, after investigating the situation in the United States, advise Kruger that a tour of the United States would be beneficial to the Boer cause, the Boer President will overcome his aversion to a long trip, and undertake the journey.

Kruger appears to be in excellent physical condition, and his physicians advise him that he could safely go to America at the proper season.

SPIRIT OF SURRENDER.

GROWING AMONG THE BOERS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 20.—[By Atlantic Cable.] In a dispatch from Pretoria, the correspondent of the Times says there is no doubt the Boers in the eastern part of Transvaal Colony are greatly demoralized, and that they are so hard pressed that many are reluctant to continue the struggle. In an intercepted letter from Gen. Piet Viljoen to Mr. Schalkburgher, the writer urges the latter to do something to counteract the spirit of surrender among the Boers. It is rumored that Gen. Batho and Mr. Schalkburgher are trying to arrange a meeting.

In spite of these indications, however, there is no ground for believing that the war will be immediately over, says the Times correspondent. The influence of the Boer leaders may still prevail, and in any case the majority would be bound by the action of the Boers in the eastern Transvaal.

LIBERALS WANT PEACE.

CONDEMN THE GOVERNMENT.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 20.—[By Atlantic Cable.] At the general meeting of the committee of the Liberal Federation held at Leicester, after much dissent and an animated debate, a resolution was passed condemning the policy of insisting on the unconditional surrender of the Boers in South Africa, affirming that the future contentment and security of South Africa could only be secured by regular peace, on broad, generous lines; welcoming the impetus Lord Rosebery has given to this policy, and calling on all Liberal members of the House of Commons to support the Liberal leader, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, in his advocacy of this policy.

GERMAN TARIFF.

Government Steadfastly Refuses to Accept Agrarian Amendment Relating to Grain Duties.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BERLIN, Feb. 20.—[By Atlantic Cable.] At the opening of today's session of the Tariff Committee of the Reichstag, the chairman declared that the statements to be made by the Imperial Secretary of State for the Interior, Count Von Posadowski-Wehner, and the Secretary of Foreign Affairs, Baron Von Ritchthofen, regarding the government's views of the tariff measure, must be treated as confidential.

Subsequently, however, a semi-official statement was issued, showing that Count Von Posadowski-Wehner emphatically declared that under no circumstances would the Federal government accept the proposed compromise amendment to the government bill in regard to the grain duties.

MUELLER GETS SARCASTIC.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BERLIN, Feb. 20.—In the discussion which followed Count Von Posadowski-Wehner's remarks, Herr Heim, Centrist, said the Secretary of the Interior had made a change of front, as, according to the statement he had just made to the committee, he formally recognized that barley, which was the main crop of the small farmer, must be sacrificed in the general tariff revision.

Dr. Mueller, Radical, twitted the Secretary with being in the position of a man at the top of a high ladder and afraid to descend. He expressed the hope that the Tariff Bill would be soon dead and buried, but he feared the Centrists would in the end join hands with the government and support the government bill.

FRANK G. CARPENTER will tell the readers of The Times' Magazine the coming Sunday about what he terms "Asia's Greatest Wonder."

THE NEELET CASE is concisely reviewed by The Times' Magazine correspondent at Havana in an article to be published the coming Sunday.

PUBLISHERS' CONFERENCE.

Five-year Arbitration Agreement With the International Typographical Union Authorized.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—The sixteenth annual meeting of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association was continued today. A resolution was adopted, authorizing an arbitration agreement with the International Typographical Union for five years beginning May 1 next, when the present yearly agreement ends. The executive council of the union must pass on this agreement formally before it will be in force, but that body has already informally given its approval.

The association, at its meeting yesterday, adopted a resolution providing for a five-year agreement with the International Printing Pressmen's Assistants' Union.

There was some discussion today of suggestions for an improved postal currency for mail orders, and also of proposed amendments to the bankruptcy law. Both matters were referred to the Executive Committee. The following resolution was agreed to:

"Resolved that to secure the uniform and thorough enforcement of existing regulations, the American Newspaper Publishers' Association suggests a codification of all the laws and rulings that govern second-class mail matter, and an annual revision thereof; this codification to be made whenever the programme now in process for restricting the use of second-class mail privilege for legitimate purposes shall have been effectively performed by the Post-office Department and the matter in the questions pertinent thereto shall have been fully interpreted."

"COUNT" REINDICTED.

Ruby Luckhardt's Lochinvar to Get New Trial Because the Name of His First Wife Was not Mentioned.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Feb. 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Because of a defect in the original indictment on which he was convicted of bigamy and given four years of penal servitude, Count De Lucenay, who eloped with Ruby Luckhardt of Los Angeles, deserting his wife at San Francisco, was notified today that he would receive a new trial. The grand jury reindicted him for bigamy, and he will be held pending the rehearing. The indictment on which he was tried and convicted was defective in that it failed to mention the name of the Count's deserted wife, Adeline Biagini, and the defect was not discovered by the lawyers until today. By a recent decree of the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals, an indictment similarly drawn was declared void.

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[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) Feb. 20.—Kansas City today is without its five principal charter officials, as a result of yesterday's decision of the Supreme Court ousting City Comptroller Lund, City Physician Coffin, Clerk Curry, Assessor Yost and City Counsellor Middlebrook, hold-over Republicans. On the advice of their attorneys, the ousted Republicans left their offices, refusing to assume responsibility for their future conduct, and informing their clerks that if they remained at their desks they must do so upon their own responsibility. Thus practically all the city's business came to an abrupt standstill.

The trouble arose a year ago, when the City Council refused to confirm the nominations for these officers sent in by Mayor Reed, a Democrat. The Mayor has called a special meeting of his political associates to consider the situation.

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHS.

BERLIN, Feb. 20.—The Navy Department has decided to establish a chain of wireless telegraph stations along the entire German coast. Official reports say the Slaby-Arco system gives the most satisfactory results, as by this system wireless messages are to be transmitted a distance of 150 miles.

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[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA, Feb. 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] News has been received that Judge Brown has rendered a decision in three important mining suits at Juneau. The decisions involve title to rich placer claims on Miller Gulch, Slate Creek and Chisna River, in Copper River district. The case of Irwin vs. Hurd, in which a receiver was appointed, was decided in favor of the defendant, and the receiver was severely handled for mismanagement of the property.

The test case brought against the Chisna Mining and Improvement Company, regarding the ownership of a dozen claims on Upper Chisana, worth nearly $1,000,000, was won by the company. The decisions in all cases sustained the first actual locators, and will tend to discourage further claims of jumpers and fake mining partners.

Various injunctions brought last spring were dissolved by operation of this litigation, and the operation of these claims during the coming season will materially increase the output of the Copper River district.

BETWEEN FIRE AND WATER.

TOOK CHANCES ON FORMER.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—A gasoline launch, enveloped in flames, and making for the shore at high speed, was the unusual sight witnessed by persons on Washington-street wharf this morning. As she speeded toward the wharf the flames rose higher in the air, and a sheet of fire hung in her wake, a terrified man standing on the bow and leaning forward to escape the blaze.

The officers of the steamer Golden Gate noted the approach of the launch and turned a stream of water on the burning boat. The man in the bow of the launch, Engineer McGinnes, was helped on the wharf. He was burned about the face, neck and head. His hair and eyebrows are badly singed. A chemical engine quickly extinguished the blaze when the launch reached the slip. The launch was charred, but the damage was not extensive.

NEARING THE END.

LOOKOUT LYNCHING CASE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

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The test case brought against the Chisna Mining and Improvement Company, regarding the ownership of a group of claims on Upper Chisna, worth $1,000,000, was won by the company. The decisions in all cases sustained the first actual locators, and will tend to discourage further claims by jumpers and fake mining partnerships.

Various injunctions brought last spring were dissolved by operation of law, the litigation, and the operation of the claims during the coming season will materially increase the output of the Copper River district.

BETWEEN FIRE AND WATER.

TOOK CHANCES ON FORMER.

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The officers of the steamer Golden Gate noted the approach of the launch and turned a stream of water on the burning boat. The man in the bow of the launch, Engineer McGinnes, was helped on the wharf. He was burned about the face, neck and head. His hair and eyebrows are badly singed. A chemical engine quickly extinguished the blaze when the launch reached the slip. The launch was charred, but the damage was not extensive.

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RAINFALL.

Stockton's Share.

STOCKTON, Feb. 20.—Rain commenced falling early this morning, and continued at intervals throughout the day and evening. The precipitation at midnight was .36 of an inch, making 2.04 for the month, and 7.56 for the season, as against 11.89 for the corresponding season last year. The crop indications here are excellent.

San Jose.

SAN JOSE, Feb. 20.—There were several slight sprinkles this forenoon. The orchards and fields are looking well, but the soil has not yet received the soaking that it needs to insure good crops.

BRIEF COAST DISPATCHES.

Railway Men Run Over.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 20.—This afternoon Jerry Griffin was instantly killed, and G. W. Keys probably fatally injured in the railroad yards by a line of cars backing upon them while they were trying to avoid a passenger train on another track. Both men were veteran car inspectors.

Anti-Chinese Resolutions.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—The board of directors of the Manufacturers' and Producers' Association has adopted a resolution favoring the continued exclusion of Chinese, which has been sent to the California members of Congress. The Merchants' Exchange of Oakland has also passed resolutions to the same effect.

Charter the Strathgyle.

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 20.—Owing to the great increase in the oriental trade from this port, the Portland and Asiatic Steamship Company has chartered the steamship Strathgyle for their oriental service, making a total of five large carriers now on the route.

Through Fish Train.

VANCOUVER (B. C.) Feb. 20.—The halibut express, comprising nine cars of fresh halibut, one car of Puget Sound salmon, and one car of Squawmich Valley hops, left here yesterday for Boston. This is the first through fish train to run from the Pacific to the Atlantic. It will make the same time as the passenger express, and the fish will be landed in Boston Monday morning.

Lineman Badly Burned.

NILES, Feb. 20.—W. J. Kenyen, a lineman employed by the Western Union Telegraph Company, was seriously, if not fatally, burned by electricity yesterday afternoon, while working along the Southern Pacific tracks about a mile from here. He was on a pole, when the 5 o'clock San José local train passed. A flash of light was seen and Kennedy was thrown to the ground, the fall breaking his right leg. He is not expected to recover from the burns he received.

Students Form a Club.

SAN JOSE, Feb. 20.—Articles incorporating the Stanford Inn Club have been filed here. It is composed of students at the university, who have banded themselves together for the purpose of conducting a club for social intercourse and to put the means of living within reach of many who could not otherwise attend the university. The directors are Lloyd Harter, San José; C. F. Dittmar, Redding; C. A. Cantwell, Tulare; M. F. McCormick, Fresno, and Carl T. Hayden of Tempe, Ariz.

MURDER AT PORT LOT.

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He was an unmarried man, and went to the Caroline Islands about six months ago from New York. He subsequently went to China, returning at the solicitation of Bishop, an American resident, to take charge of the sawmill.

OBITUARY.

W. T. S. W. Fitzwilliam.

LONDON, Feb. 20.—William Thomas Spencer Wentworth Fitzwilliam, sixth Earl of Fitzwilliam, is dead. He was born in 1815.

Capt. Edward Chambreau.

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 20.—Capt. Edward Chambreau, one of the best-known scouts during the Indian wars in the Northwest, died today, aged 81 years.

John Moran.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—John Moran, a member of the famous family of artists, and one of the pioneer photographers of this county, who did much important work for the United States government in early days of the art, is dead at his home in this city.

Harlow H. White.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—Harlow H. White, adjuster of duties in the local customhouse, is dead of brain trouble, aged 43 years. He was a director of the Olympic Club and president of the Olympic Gun Club and of the Associated Cycling Clubs.

Dr. Louis Lewis.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 20.—Dr. Louis Lewis, a medical and surgical authority, died in St. Vincent's Hospital in New York yesterday, after an operation, and his body was brought to this city today. Dr. Lewis was born in England sixty-three years ago, and came to this country in 1883, locating in Philadelphia. He was a graduate of the Royal College of Surgeons and of the University of London.

RUSSIAN UNIVERSITY CLOSED.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 20.—The University has been officially closed. In spite of police prohibition, the university students of St. Petersburg held a meeting February 18. At this meeting the government recommendations respecting student organizations was rejected, and the students proclaimed that they would strike unless their demands for complete autonomy and freedom of speech were granted.

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BATTLE GOING ON.

Forces of Castro and Herrera Said to Be Engaged in Vicinity of Agua Dulce.

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PANAMA, Feb. 20.—[By South American Cable.] It is positively known here that the government forces under Gen. Castro and those of Gen. Herrera are fighting. Varied and numerous reports have reached here of this engagement, but they all lack confirmation.

The forces of the above-mentioned commanders are in the vicinity of Agua Dulce, Tegula and San Carlos, between thirty and forty miles southeast of Panama.

PADILLA INJURED.

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PANAMA, Feb. 20.—Two deserters from the forces under the command of Gen. Herrera have arrived here with valuable news for the government. These men verify the report previously circulated that the Liberal gunboat Padilla is unable to maneuver, on account of shots received from the government gunboat Boyaca.

CUBAN POSTAL FRAUDS.

Fiscal Withdraws the Charges Against Rathbone of Issuing Duplicate Warrants, But Maintains the Others.

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HAVANA, Feb. 20.—[By West Indian Cable.] The fiscal began summoning up for the prosecution today in the cases of the Cuban postal frauds. He withdrew all the charges against the two Cuban stamp clerks, Moyo and Mascara. He withdrew the charges against Estes G. Rathbone of issuing duplicate warrants and charged the issuing of these warrants to W. H. Reeves and C. F. W. Neely. He maintained the charges of conspiracy and extravagance against Rathbone.

Rathbone, said the fiscal did not deposit the funds as required by the postal laws. This alone rendered him liable to imprisonment for six months. He said that Rathbone must have known of these irregularities or stealings. He also introduced letters to show the intimacy which had existed between Neeley, Reeves and Rathbone.

SUGAR CONFERENCE.

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BERLIN, Feb. 20.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Telegrams received from Brussels and Magdeburg, the center of the German production, say that the international sugar conference, when it reconvenes at Brussels next Saturday, will most probably reach an international agreement on the basis of Great Britain's proposals to abolish sugar bounties, and reduce the import duties on sugar to 2 shillings per hundredweight.

The spokesmen of the Agrarian party are energetic in their language against the government, and threaten it with the loss of the majority in the Reichstag should the legislation required by Great Britain's proposals be adopted.

BOY'S MAD ACT.

Killed His Sweetheart and Attempted Suicide Because of Obstacles Interposed to Their Marriage.

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PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 20.—Confined to her bed with a badly-injured ankle, the result of a fall last week, Gertrude Gothiel, aged 22 years, was shot dead today by her lover, George Sutton, aged 19, who, with his mother, had come to the young woman's home in West Philadelphia to pay a visit. Still standing beside the bed, Sutton sent a bullet into his own breast, but his attempt to end his own life was defeated by physicians, who say he will recover.

The young couple had been friends for years, but differences in religion, youthfulness and parental objections prevented them from becoming married.

YOUNG ROOSEVELT IMPROVING.

GROTON (Mass.) Feb. 20.—The condition of Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., was pronounced excellent today, and the arrival of Dr. P. M. Rixey, the President's medical adviser, from Washington, was the only feature of interest here. While the progress of the sick boy has been satisfactory in every respect, Mrs. Roosevelt is unwilling to take any step which might prove detrimental to him, and expresses a doubt if she will start for Washington with the lad before Saturday.

COMMITTED FOR EXTRADITION.

MONTREAL, Feb. 20.—Charles Savage and his supposed wife, Frankie Thomas, both accused of the theft of a trunk containing $10,000 worth of sample jewelry from the Portland Hotel, Portland, Or., where Savage was employed as a bell boy, were today committed for extradition. The only thing Savage has to say is that he wants to go back to Oregon and have the thing over with.

DR. KINYOUN RESIGNS.

DETROIT, Feb. 20.—Dr. J. B. Kinyoun, for the past year commanding officer and chief surgeon of the United State Marine Hospital here, and known as one of the best bacteriologists and plague experts in the United States government service, has sent in his resignation to take effect May 1. Dr. Kinyoun left for Philadelphia, where he will devote himself to the study of bacteriology.

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FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

The Corsicana cotton-oil mill, one of the largest in Texas, was destroyed by fire, together with six freight cars, on the Cotton Belt Railroad tracks. The loss is estimated at $125,000, fully covered by insurance.

The jury in the case of Mayor Charles Shilling of Decatur, Ill., charged with malfeasance in office, has returned a verdict of not guilty. The charges were permitting gambling rooms to run, allowing Sunday liquor selling, making illegal slot-machine contracts and permitting immoral shows to give exhibitions.

By a ruling of the United States Court of Appeals it is held that a mortgage issued in one State is binding in any other State or Territory, and does not have to be refiled.

A decision has been handed down by the Missouri Supreme Court denying the writ of mandamus against the State Board of Equalization, asked for by the St. Louis School Board, to compel the taxation of public franchises at their total value.

The repair shop, machine shop and other buildings of the Fifth-avenue branch of the Brooklyn Elevated Railroad, were destroyed late last night by fire. The largest building burned was the machine shop, which covered a space of 500 by 200 feet. Beside the machinery, twenty-five elevated cars were destroyed. The loss was $225,000.

Loeb & Hahn's dry goods store at Lafayette, Ind., was destroyed by fire yesterday. The loss was $200,000. The Journal and Call newspaper offices were seriously damaged.

Fire that started last night at Toronto, Ontario, by spontaneous combustion in the finishing rooms of the Mensee Manufacturing Company, Limited, manufacturers of furniture, and spread to the adjoining premises of Merchants' Dyeing and Finishing Company, caused damages to the extent of $200,000.

PRUSSIAN MINES BILL.

BERLIN, Feb. 20.—The lower house of the Prussian Diet today referred the mines bill to the Budget Committee, after Herr Moeller, the Minister of Commerce, had explained that the object of the purchase was to enable the State to counteract the monopolistic power of the coal syndicate in the interest of the navy, the railroads and the community generally. The mines bill places 58,000,000 marks at the disposal of the Prussian government for the purchase of mining property in the district of Dortmund, Westphalia.

Creeks Go to Washington.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—A delegation of four Creek Indians arrived here today to consult their chief, Pleasant Porter, and to confer with the Secretary of the Interior regarding a supplemental treaty now in course of revision for submission to the department. The main points involved are the methods of allotment and date of closing the enrollment.

TOURISTS ON THE CELTIC.

ALGIERS, Feb. 20.—The White Star liner Celtic arrived today from Gibraltar. On board the Celtic are about eight hundred tourists from all parts of the United States.

TOLSTOI OUT OF DANGER.

LONDON, Feb. 20.—According to the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Mail, Count Tolstoi, who has recently been gravely ill, is now out of danger

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Turkish bath wash rags.....10c, 3 for 25c.
Ashworth's hygienic flesh glove.....50c.
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DUTY IN PHILIPPINES.

TWO BATTERIES GET ORDERS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Orders have been issued by Lieut.-Gen. Miles, commanding the army, for the Second Battalion of the Eleventh Infantry, stationed at Mayagues and Ponce, Porto Rico, to proceed to San Francisco, preparatory to service in the Philippines. The battalion probably will remain at San Francisco some time, as it is intended to recruit it there to the maximum. Orders also have been issued to prepare the Second Battalion of the Tenth Infantry, stationed at Fort Crook, Neb., for transportation to the Philippines. These troops will start for San Francisco when relieved at Fort Crook, by a battalion of the Twenty-second Infantry, now on its way home from the Philippines on the transport Hancock.

VISIT OF PRINCE HENRY TO THE CAPITOL.

HE WILL LISTEN TO DEBATE IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

After the Members Have Been Presented to Prince He Will Visit Senate. Admiral Dewey Deputes His Aide to Express Regrets at Enforced Absence.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—After conferences between State Department officials and members of the Senate and House, arrangements have been completed for the reception of Prince Henry, when he comes to the Capitol next Monday afternoon. The Prince will be accompanied by Ambassador Von Holleben, or Count Quadt, and the members of his staff. The party will arrive at the eastern main entrance about 4 o'clock, and will enter the building by the rotunda. Here a committee of members of the House will be in waiting to receive him, as the visit to the Senate will have to be made later, owing to the taking of the vote on the Philippine bill at 4 o'clock. Representatives Grosvenor and Hitt and one Democratic member, probably Jno. Sharp Williams, will constitute the committee. The Prince will be escorted first to Speaker Henderson's private office, where greetings will be exchanged, and the Speaker will then invite the Prince and his party to occupy the Speaker's reserved seats in the gallery. This will give the Prince an opportunity to observe the conduct of affairs in the House, the probability being that one of the appropriation bills will be under consideration at that time.

After looking down upon the business of the House, Prince Henry will return to the main floor of the House, and later will occupy the Ways and Means Committee room for a time, by order that the members of the House may be presented to him in person. It is expected that this part of the programme carries out a wish expressed by Emperor William that his brother should see not only the legislative branch in session, but also should meet in a personal way the members of that branch of the government. At the conclusion of the presentation of members to Prince Henry, the committee will escort the Prince and his party through the corridors to the rotunda, where a committee of Senators will meet them and give the visitor the courtesies of the Senate.

On the following Thursday, when Prince Henry attends the McKinley memorial exercises in the House of Representatives, he will occupy a seat immediately alongside the President, who, with his Cabinet, will sit in the area to the left of the Speaker, and in front of the Republican side of the chamber. On this occasion the Prince's suite will not be with him, but will occupy chairs farther back. On entering the chamber, the Prince will be announced as "Prince Henry of Prussia, Admiral of the German navy." The formality of announcing the other members of the party, and the members of the diplomatic corps, will be dispensed with.

A meeting of the President's delegates, Assistant Secretary Hill of the State Department; Adjt.-Gen. Corbin and Rear-Admiral Evans, will be held at the Waldorf-Astoria in New York tomorrow afternoon. These three gentlemen will represent the President of the United States in formally welcoming Prince Henry to the country. Prince Henry will make his first appearance to the American people in the capacity of an admiral in the Imperial German navy, and will wear the uniform of that rank. Assistant Secretary Hill, who will head the receiving delegation will especially represent the civil majesty of the government, and therefore will appear at all ceremonies in civilian attire. Gen. Corbin and Admiral Evans will appear in full dress uniform on all formal occasions, including the reception at the New York and the various functions in this city.

Commander Nathan Sargent, aide to Admiral Dewey, is, at the latter's request, going to New York to greet Prince Henry in his, the admiral's name, and to express the admiral's regret at being unable to be present in person to meet him on his arrival in America. It is said that the only cause for the admiral's absence is the serious illness of Mrs. Dewey.

WILL SIT WITH PRINCE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—The names of those who will occupy the royal box at the opera with Prince Henry have been given out. They will be the German Ambassador, Count Von Holleben, Gen. Von Plessen, Admiral Von Eisendecher, Count Marshal Von Lockendorf, Vice-Admiral Van Tirpitz, Admiral Von Baudissin, the commander of the Hohenzollern; the Presidential delegates, consisting of Rear-Admiral Evans, Assistant Secretary of State Hill, Col. Bingham, Commander Cowles, U.S.N., and Capt. Wendt of the navy yard. In one of the opposite boxes will be the members of the German Embassy at Washington, and Consul-General Karl Buenz.

Those guests who will sit at the table with the Prince at the press dinner the night of February 25 will be Lieut.-Gov. Woodruff, Rev. Dr. Gottheil, Consul-General Buenz, Admiral Evans, Von Mueller, Mayor Low, Admiral Von Seckendorf, Assistant Secretary Hill, St. Clair McKelway, Gen. Von Plessen, the Austrian Minister, Bishop Potter, Whitelaw Reid, Herman Ridder, German Ambassador Holleben, Edward Uhl, Archbishop Corrigan, Admiral Von Tirpitz, Senator Lodge, Admiral Von Eisendecher, Charles Emory Smith, Senator Hawley, Senator Depew, Admiral Count Baudissin, Charles W. Knapp, Capt. Von Grumme, Gen. Corbin and Melville E. Stone.

WILL GUARD THE PRINCE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Eight detectives will be near Prince Henry during his time in the city. It is the intention of the city authorities to so environ the Prince with guards that the possibility of accident will be reduced to a minimum. In addition to the bodyguard of detectives, many uniformed officers will be at the pier and other public places to keep back the throng of curious people who will try to get as close as possible to the royal visitor.

FIFTY-SEVENTH CONGRESS.

REGULAR SESSION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—SENATE. At the conclusion of routine business in the Senate today, consideration was resumed of the Philippine Tariff Bill.

Mr. Patterson of Colorado, a member of the Philippine Committee of the Senate, discussed the treason and sedition laws enacted and enforced as tyrannical and oppressive. He maintained that the decision of the United States Supreme Court seemed to indicate that when the question was presented unqualifiedly to that court, it would be held that the bill of rights would be extended to the Filipinos, and that they were, as a fact, within the limits of the Constitution of the United States.

He maintained that when the question finally should come before the Supreme Court, it should be held that the rights of free speech and a free press in the Philippine Islands would be protected fully and beyond any doubt. He said that it was a "new and strange sovereignty" that enabled the Philippine Commission to enforce such laws as had been put in effect in the Philippines, and he challenged the authority of the commission to enact such laws. He recognized that all the judicial powers of the Constitution were not extended to a territorial government, but he held that, beyond doubt in his mind, the Philippine Commission had no authority to define treason or to provide punishment therefor. That, he held, was solely within the power and authority of Congress.

Mr. Patterson declared that the Philippine Commission had outraged every United States statute it had ever attempted to follow, and had made its own enactments tyrannical, because there had been evidently a deliberate purpose to make offenses where none had been defined by the United States statutes. He denounced "the devilish malignity" that the Philippine Commission displayed when it attempted to copy the United States statutes and incorporate in them other and extraneous matters.

Mr. Patterson declared that only four of the fifteen acts of the Philippine Commission relating to the conspiracy against the United States had any resemblance to the statutes of the United States. The remainder, he held, were taken bodily from the statutes of Spain, as enacted by the Spanish Cortes. He declared, after analyzing the enactments, that greater outrage could be inflicted upon a people than the encouragement of the sedition laws enacted by the Philippine Commission. Acts more tyrannical, more unconstitutional and more inimical to the interests of the people, he asserted, never were enacted, and they ought to be repealed immediately by act of Congress.

Mr. Patterson maintained that, under the enactments of the Philippine Commission, any person found distributing the Congressional Record containing speeches of any members of the minority on the Philippine question would be liable to fine and imprisonment. He denounced such a condition as unwarranted and extraordinary, and without any constitutional authority. He declared that the sedition laws enacted by the Congress of 1798 were a beacon light of liberty and independence as compared with the laws enacted by the Philippine Commission.

Discussing the testimony of Gov. Taft before the Philippine Committee, Mr. Patterson said that seldom had a people been held up to greater contumely and scorn than had been applied to the Filipinos by Judge Taft, "who, temporarily, at least, is their ruler."

Gov. Taft declared, he said, that no people in the islands were fit for jury duty, because the body of the people was either corrupt or open to corruption.

The Colorado Senator was of the opinion that Gov. Taft was not frank with the committee, and he believed the American authorities were afraid to trust jury duty with the Filipinos lest the right of imprisonment thereby should be taken out of the hands of the commission's officials. He felt that the Filipinos had been maligned and slandered, and he took issue with Gov. Taft and with other defamers of the Filipinos upon that point, and quoted documents to substantiate his position.

Mr. Patterson declared that the information supplied by the War Department was absolutely in opposition to the statements made by Gov. Taft. It was, in effect, the War Department against Gov. Taft.

In response to an inquiry by Mr. Foraker, Mr. Patterson stated it as his judgment that Gov. Taft had motives for misrepresenting the situation in the Philippines that the War Department did not have.

"The statements of the War Department," he asserted, after reading from some documents, "brand as slander most of those made by Gov. Taft about the Filipinos' character and abilities, and brands as slander the charges that they are idle, and unfit for government."

In reply to Mr. Foraker, who said he wanted clearly to understand the statement, Mr. Patterson reiterated his statement that Gov. Taft had motives for misrepresentation, and that he had misrepresented the situation in the archipelago was his deliberate judgment.

MR. NELSON FOLLOWS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—In conclusion, Mr. Patterson referred to the fact that six millions of the people of the islands were Christians.

"But," he said, "they are not Protestant Christians. Senators may smile," he continued, "but I have it in mind that if the 6,000,000 of Filipino Christians had learned their Christianity in the sanctuaries of Methodist, Presbyterian or Baptist churches, and were as well-founded in the cardinal principles of Christianity as they are today, there would such an uprising of the Methodist, Presbyterian and Baptist denominations at the cruel, unconstitutional and relentless treatment of their people in the Philippines that few members in the Congress supporting that policy would face their wrath. But the Filipinos are not Protestant Christians."

Mr. Nelson of Minnesota followed with a legal argument dealing with various phases of the Philippine question. In beginning, he took Mr. Patterson sharply to task for injecting sectarianism into the discussion, holding that it was unwarranted and inexcusable. It had remained for Mr. Patterson, too, he said, to declare that the sending of American teachers to the Philippines to teach the Filipino youth the English language was an act of tyranny and despotism.

In an extended argument, Mr. Nelson maintained that a right of a trial by jury was not necessarily a constitutional right. Mr. Nelson said the argument of the minority was based on an entire misapprehension of the physical legal situation in the Philippine Islands. The United States government was now in the Philippines precisely as it was in California, from 1846 to 1850. The government was holding these islands, not by legislative enactment, but by the executive powers of the government. The President had the right to govern the islands until such time as the Congress should provide for their control. The Philippine Commission, he said, was simply an executive aid to the President, and it was idle for Senators to regard it in any other light. If it were so desired, he maintained, the United States had ample authority to hold the islands precisely as they are being held today.

Mr. Nelson declared it was a slander upon America to assert, as the minority did, that this government was not fully competent to give the Philippines a good government.

"We are there," he said, "and I want to tell Senators on the other side that the people of this country (whatever else they may do) will never consent to abandon those islands. When did it come to pass?" he demanded, impulsively, "that the American people became a set of tyrants? When did it come to pass that the American soldiers became bashi bazouks over those islands? It is a slander upon the American nation."

Mr. McCumber of North Dakota presented a carefully-prepared address in favor of the administration's stand on the Philippine policy. He did not think that Congress had the moral right to bind the hands of the American people of the future by prematurely pledging them to any particular course.

The Senate adjourned after a short executive session.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—HOUSE.—General debate on the Indian Appropriation Bill having closed yesterday, the bill was reported in the House today for amendment under the five-minute rule.

Mr. Sherman of New York, chairman of the Indian Committee, who was in charge of the measure, explained that the bill carried $8,441,505, being $1,371,234 more than the estimates, but $1,297,195 less than the amount carried by the current law.

Mr. Little of Arkansas offered an amendment to direct the Commissioner of Indian Affairs to "examine and decide the feasibility and expediency of educating the Indians in schools upon the reservations, and in communities where such Indians reside, and to submit the best plan to accomplish this end to Congress at the next session." It was adopted.

OTHER AMENDMENTS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Amendments were adopted to increase the number of acres to be held by members of the Creek Nation until allotments are made from 100 to 160, and to reduce the number of acres to be held by each member of the Cherokee Nation from 120 to 100.

Mr. Jones of Washington offered an amendment, which was adopted, to appropriate $12,000 to remove the Wenatchie Indians on the Columbia River to the Colbville reservation. Another amendment was adopted appropriating $100,000 to remove 200 Mission Indians from their present location in California to the Montserrat ranch in San Diego county. In the course of the debate on a pro-forma amendment, Mr. Sherman made the statement that the Interior Department found difficulty in securing farmers to teach Indians. Although these farmers are paid from $65 to $75 per month, there were at one time this year twenty-three vacancies.

Mr. Cannon made a point of order against the provision to appropriate $50,000 to enable the Secretary of the Interior to begin work on the construction of a reservoir on the Gila River, Arizona, for storing water to be used for the benefit of the Gila Indians.

Mr. Smith, the Delegate from Arizona, denied that this appropriation was designed as an entering wedge for the irrigation movement. The point of order was sustained by Mr. Mondell of Wyoming, who was in the chair.

Mr. Smith, the Delegate from Arizona, moved to strike out the appropriation for the Carlisle Indian School. He declared that experience showed that these schools, distant from the Indian reservations, had done more harm than good. The policy was a mistaken one, in his opinion. The children were educated and made a show of by well-disposed people, after which they went back to the dirt and squalor in which they had been brought up. He insisted that the Indian should be educated in the environment in which he must live. These Indian schools in the East were, he said, the outgrowth of an ignorant sentimentalism. Philosophy, mathematics and geometry, taught the Indians nothing. They should be taught husbandry at home. He said the best education possessed by one of the Indians on the San Carlos Reservation had been obtained by serving four years in the penitentiary. He had been taught discipline.

Mr. Cannon of Illinois joined with Mr. Smith in opposing the eastern schools. He declared that it was the height of cruelty to educate the Indians and then send them back to savagery.

"It becomes a matter of pride with the tribes," said he, "to force the young man again to put on the blanket and to drive the young woman into prostitution."

Mr. Sherman opposed the amendment, reading from the report of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs the statement that education on the reservations was not productive of advancement, and that education far from the influence of the tribes had more than met the highest expectations.

After some further discussion by Mr. Lacey of Iowa against, and by Mr. Fitzgerald of New York and Mr. Morrell of Pennsylvania in support of the Smith amendment, it was lost.

Mr. Bell of Colorado offered an amendment to appropriate $54,000 for the Indian school at Grand Junction, Colo. It was adopted.

Mr. Fitzgerald of New York created something of a sensation by moving that no part of the appropriation for the Indian school at Mt. Pleasant, Mich., should be used to pay the present superintendent, who, he said, had been charged with permitting the debauching of Indian girls.

Mr. Sherman declared that if the superintendent had been guilty of the practices charged, the civil-service laws would not protect him, and that if evidence were produced to justify the charges, the Commissioner of Indian Affairs would dismiss him instantly. He proposed that Mr. Fitzgerald go with him to the Indian Office tomorrow and investigate the whole matter.

"If any one has been guilty of the things charged," he said, "he will be out of the service before night."

Without action on the amendment, the House, at 4:55 o'clock p.m., adjourned.

TUTUILA DOMESTIC TERRITORY.

TARIFF DOES NOT APPLY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The Secretary of the Treasury has received from the Attorney-General an opinion on the question whether merchandise shipped from Pago Pago, Tutuila, is entitled to free entry into the United States, in view of the convention concluded between the United States, Great Britain and Germany, December 2, 1899. The Attorney-General holds that Tutuila is domestic territory of the United States, and that our tariff laws imposing duties on goods from "foreign ports" are not applicable on goods received from Pago Pago.

"It is possible," says the Attorney-General, "that German and British merchants may attempt under cover of the provisions of the tripartite agreement to carry goods via Pago Pago into some of our other ports, since, according to the doctrine laid down in Dooley vs. the United States and other cases, goods entering Pago Pago from the United States are not dutiable by executive authority, and so as to goods arriving from Pago Pago in the ports of the United States. But this cannot alter the status of the ports of Tutuila, nor does it present any difficulty which Congress and the Treasury Department cannot easily deal with.

"The treaty neither stipulates for free entry into Pago Pago nor is it intended to provide a means for entry into other ports on the terms stipulated in the case of Pago Pago, but only that the same privileges as we see fit to accord to Pago Pago to our own commerce and vessels shall be enjoyed by British and German goods and vessels arriving there, and that reciprocally American merchants shall have the privileges in the ports of the British and German islands of the group accorded there to British and German commerce."

PLUGGING THE "CHINKS."

ACTION AGAINST "MERCHANTS."

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The members of the California delegation in Congress, after conferences held today, unanimously decided to disregard the resolution recently adopted by the Chamber of Commerce of San Francisco, favoring the admission of Chinese merchants, salesmen, bookkeepers and others of the merchant class.

The delegation took the view that this modification of the pending Mitchell-Kahn exclusion bill would give a loophole, of which the Chinese immigrants would quickly avail themselves. Later in the day the California delegation was assured by Senator Penrose that an exclusion bill would be soon reported from his committee.

LONG AND SCHLEY CASE.

SECRETARY IS SATISFIED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Secretary Long, referring to the President's statement upon the appeal of Rear-Admiral Schley, said: "I have no comment to make on the President's ruling upon the appeal of Admiral Schley, except to express my appreciation of its thorough, conscientious, straightforward character. It is, of course, gratifying in that the Navy Department is sustained. The decision will be read as no other document would be, and I believe will direct public opinion, and tend to close the whole matter."

Members of the Maryland delegation in Congress were in consultation today regarding the latest phase of the Schley case, but reached no conclusion as to whether any move will be, or can be, made.

HE CAN NOW QUIT.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Now that the Schley matter has been settled officially, it is understood that Secretary Long is at liberty to carry out the project cherished by him to retire to private life. However, this is not expected to ensue at once, for there is no certain knowledge of what may follow in Congress, notwithstanding a strong belief by the administration that the Schley case is settled beyond revival. Therefore, it is understood that the change in the Cabinet circle will not take place before the adjournment of the present session of Congress, and perhaps not until next autumn.

SCHLEY BACK AGAIN.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Admiral and Mrs. Schley returned to this city tonight from their trip to New York City and Albany.

WASHINGTON BRIEFS.

Nominations of Postmasters.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The President today sent the following nominations to the Senate:

Postmasters — Arizona, Laura B. Grable, Tombstone; Montana, Maurice Deering, Jr., Marysville.

Senate Confirmations.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The Senate today confirmed these nominations: Brigadier-General, Col. F. L. Guenther, artillery; Receiver of Public Moneys, G. Smith, at Salt Lake, Utah.

Treaty With the Crows.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Senator Clark of Montana from the Senate Committee on Military Affairs, today reported favorably the bill for the ratification of the treaty with the Crow Indians for the cession and opening to settlement of about a million acres of their reservation in Montana.

Y.M.C.A. and the Posts.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Senator Hawley, from the Senate Committee on Military Affairs, today reported favorably the bill authorizing the Young Men's Christian Association to erect buildings at military posts on government reservations.

Knox not to Resign.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Reports having been widely circulated that Atty.-Gen. Knox had decided to resign from the Cabinet, it can be stated that there is absolutely no basis for these reports.

At noon in Los Angeles it is 10:15 P.M. in Cairo, Egypt.

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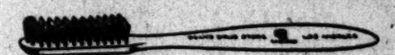

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Swimmer Brewer Breaks Three More Marks—Pugilistic and Horsey Notes.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—A. G. Spalding announced tonight that, pending a meeting the Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago baseball clubs, to be held Saturday in Pittsburgh, he had tendered his resignation as president of the National League.

Spalding, in his letter of resignation, says it was because of a request from these four clubs that he took the stand which has brought the affairs of the National League into the courts and that, as the playing season is approaching and there are many financial conditions to be confronted, he does not wish to further embarrass them, unless they are willing to abide by his policy and continue, if necessary, with a four-club circuit. Therefore, he says, it is for the Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago clubs to meet Saturday and to assume the responsibility, and stand before the public in favor of continuing the fight, or to surrender to the opposition and accept whatever terms may be handed to them.

BREWER'S NEW RECORDS.

SWIMMER MAKES A TRIO.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—Howard F. Brewer, the Pacific Coast swimmer, broke three more American middle-distance records at the Sportsman's Show tonight.

In the 800-yard race against Fred Wieland of the Central Y.M.C.A., and Fred Wenck of Yale University, he lowered the three records for 700 and 800 yards and the half mile.

He made the 700 yards in 10:02 3-5, beating the record of 11.04 4-5, which was held by Stanley B. French, the English swimmer, and had stood since 1898.

He covered the 800 yards in 11m. 31 1-5s., clipping 1m. 44s. off the record, which was also held by French, and defeated Wieland, who was second, by fifty yards. Wenck was ten yards behind Wieland.

After beating the record for 800 yards, Brewer continued in an effort to smash the half-mile mark of 12m. 45 2-5s., which was held by himself, and succeeded in making it in 12m. 39 1-5s.

INTERCOLLEGIATE SPORT.

ALL SECTIONS REPRESENTED.

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SPORTING RECORD.

SPALDING'S ULTIMATUM.

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Stands for Four Clubs and No Others.

Swimmer Brewer Breaks Three More Marks—Pugilistic and Horsey Notes.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—A. G. Spalding announced tonight that, pending a meeting the Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago baseball clubs, to be held Saturday in Pittsburgh, he had tendered his resignation as president of the National League.

Spalding, in his letter of resignation, says it was because of a request from these four clubs that he took the step which has brought the affairs of the National League into the courts and that, as the playing season is approaching and there are many financial conditions to be confronted, he does not wish to further embarrass them, unless they are willing to abide by his policy and continue, if necessary, with a four-club circuit. Therefore, he says, it is for the Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago clubs to meet Saturday and to assume the responsibility, and stand before the public in favor of continuing the fight, or to surrender to the opposition and accept whatever terms may be handed to them.

BREWER'S NEW RECORDS.

SWIMMER MAKES A TRIO.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—Howard F. Brewer, the Pacific Coast swimmer, broke three more American middle-distance records at the Sportsman's Show tonight.

In the 880-yard race against Fred Wieland of the Central Y.M.C.A., and Fred Wenck of Yale University, he lowered the records for 700 and 800 yards and the half mile.

He made the 700 yards in 10:02 3-5, beating the record of 11:04 4-5, which was held by Stanley B. French, the English swimmer, and had stood since 1898.

He covered the 800 yards in 11m. 21 1-5s., clipping 1m. 44s. off the record, which was also held by French, and defeated Wieland, who was second, by fifty yards. Wenck was ten yards behind Wieland.

After beating the record for 800 yards, Brewer continued in an effort to smash the half-mile mark of 12m. 45 2-5s., which was held by himself, and succeeded in making it in 12m. 39 1-5s.

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BLEW OUT HIS BRAINS.

Jack Morgan First Blew in Ten Thousand Dollars on El Paso's Tenderloin—Nephew of J. Pierpont Morgan.

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EL PASO, Feb. 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Jack Morgan, said to have been a former law partner of Senator Patterson of Colorado, nephew of J. Pierpont Morgan, committed suicide at Chihuahua, Mex., today, by blowing out his brains. A shotgun was the weapon used.

Morgan came here with about $10,000 in gilt-edged drafts, which he cashed and "blew in" in the tenderloin precinct of this city. He was on his way to visit his mines in Mexico, and left here one week ago, practically penniless, as far as ready cash was concerned. The news of his suicide created no surprise here.

He was a high Mason, and has a brother in the San Francisco Stock Exchange. His former home was at San Andreas, Cal.

DESPERATE MAN TRIES TO ROB BANK.

KILLS THE CASHIER AND THEN TURNS PISTOL ON HIMSELF.

Sent Bullet Through His Brain When He Saw That Capture Was Inevitable. His Appearance That of a Prosperous Middle-aged Business Man.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.) Feb. 20.—A special to the Express from the City of Mexico says that a daring and foolhardy attempt was made to rob the London and Mexico Bank, one of the strongest financial concerns in the City of Mexico, by an unknown robber, who, after killing the cashier and seeing that he would be captured, blew out his own brains.

At an hour when business was slack and only employés were in the bank, the robber entered the building and, unobserved, made his way to the vault, near which was the cashier, whom he covered with a pistol and demanded that he give up the money in his custody. Upon the cashier's refusal, the robber fired, the bullet striking the cashier in the head, killing him instantly.

Other employés made a rush for the robber, who fired three shots at them without effect. The men continued to advance, and, seeing that his capture was inevitable, the robber turned his pistol on himself and sent a bullet through his brain, dying instantly in the bank.

The dead robber had no papers or articles on his body that would serve to identify him, and other than that he was an American, nothing is known of him. He was well dressed, wore a full beard, well trimmed, and was about 45 years of age. His general appearance was that of a well-to-do business man.

ROBBED HIS CAR.

WELLS-FARGO MESSENGER.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PAREDA (Tex.) Feb. 20.—A Monterey special says that officers along the border are watching for Frank McCarthy, a Wells-Fargo messenger, who is alleged to have robbed his car at San Luis Potosi, Mex.

The story of the disappearance as told to the officers is that he jumped from his car just as the train was leaving San Luis Potosi, and it is alleged took with him between $35,000 and $40,000.

VALUABLE JEWELS STOLEN.

TAKEN FROM CHURCH ALTAR.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Seven of the precious stones in the altar of the Tiffany chapel in the crypt of the cathedral of St. John, the Divine, on Cathedral Heights, were removed by thieves early Wednesday morning, the fact becoming public today. The value of the jewelry, and particulars of the robbery are withheld by those in charge at the cathedral.

BOMBASTES FURIOSO APPEARS IN CANADA.

TALKS OF CAPTURING CAPITAL AND ANNEXING THIS COUNTRY.

Leaves it to Be Inferred That He Would Be a Proper Man to Lead the Conquering Hosts—Debate Over Boundary Question.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

OTTAWA (Ont.) Feb. 20.—There was an exciting debate in the House of Commons yesterday on the Alaska boundary question. It was brought up by Henri Bourassa, who moved for all papers and correspondence connected with the Clayton-Bulwer treaty and the Alaska boundary. The Premier said that the correspondence could not be brought down while negotiations were going on.

Bourassa did not see how that use could apply to the Clayton-Bulwer treaty. He pointed to the Alabama claims, the Trent affair, the Alaskan boundary, the placing of an embargo on Canadian cattle, the aiding of immigration to South Africa, and other cases to show that Britain was always ready to sacrifice Canadian interests.

Sir Wilfred Laurier, the Premier, said that he was not an admirer of the British policy on the American continent, but he did not think that even Mr. Bourassa would ask that Britain should go to war with the United States. What was necessary was a little time to see if an amicable settlement could not be arrived at.

S. F. Courlay of Pictou, Nova Scotia, accused Britain of always sacrificing Canada in its negotiations with the United States. "If it is necessary," he said, "to fight the Yankees, we will fight within twenty-four hours, and after six months will capture their capital and annex their country to Canada."

Mr. Bourassa then withdrew his motion.

ITALIAN PARLIAMENT OPENS.

ROME, Feb. 20.—King Victor Emmanuel opened Parliament this morning with considerable ceremonial. In the speech from the throne he referred to the tranquilizing effect on the country of the government's liberal policy, and to the excellent relations existing between Italy and all the powers.

TAKEN OUT ALIVE.

BAKU (Trans-Caucasia) Feb. 20.—During the course of the search today for bodies of victims of the recent earthquake at Shamaka, thirty-two persons were disentombed alive.

HOW JONES KILLED RICE.

Chloroform Ended Life of Millionaire.

Patrick Spurred Him to Devilish Deed.

Means Taken by the Lawyer to Prevent Suspicion of Crime.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—In the Patrick trial today Valet Jones described the death of Millionaire Rice. The witness said:

"Mr. Rice was far from well, and fell once when he tried to leave his chair. I picked him up, laid him on his bed, and he went to sleep. I wrote a telegram and went out to send it. I telephoned Patrick and he met me at the telegraph office. Patrick said it was time to give Mr. Rice the chloroform. Now that the draft had arrived from Texas and Capt. Baker was coming, we should lose all we had gained if Mr. Rice was not put away at once. I objected that I never agreed to do anything of that sort, but Patrick persisted, and I yielded.

"I made a cone of a towel saturated with chloroform, and placed it over my own face. I felt the effect, and then put more chloroform on it, and went into Mr. Rice's room. He was still sleeping. I put the cone over his face and ran out of the room. There was a violent ring at the door bell just then, and I looked out and saw some one. I think it was a woman, but I was too excited to be sure.

"I went back to Mr. Rice's room. He was lying just as I left him. I took the towel off his face, and put it in the fire. It burned. Then I opened all the windows and telephoned to Patrick. Patrick had told me to say if all was over that Mr. Rice was very ill,' and that was the message I gave. Patrick said he would come over, but that he did not want to get there before Dr. Curry arrived. They reached the house together. I met them and told them, 'He is dead.' Patrick exclaimed: 'Oh, my God. That is the worst thing that could have happened to me.' He told me beforehand that he intended to say that to deceive Dr. Curry.

"The doctor said he would need an undertaker, and Patrick said: 'Yes, and a death certificate.' Dr. Curry made out the certificate and the undertaker was sent for. Patrick visited the room where Mr. Rice's papers were kept, and took away with him all the papers he could find. Patrick talked to me in Dr. Curry's presence, and gave no hint of anything wrong."

PACIFIC CABLE.

Tug Titus Will Soon Leave New York for the Purpose of Making Soundings for Government.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—To take soundings in the Pacific Ocean from near San Francisco to the Hawaiian Islands, thence to the Ladrones and from there to the Philippines, for the projected Pacific cable, the Titus, a 120-ton sea-going tug, will leave New York within a few days. Stops probably will be made at Valparaiso and Panama.

One of the government's most trusted transport captains, who has a knowledge of the soundings and mathematics, has just arrived here from the Philippines for the purpose of taking the Titus out. He expects to begin taking soundings about the end of April, and to complete this task by the end of May. For ascertaining depths a new device will be used. It is a large iron cylinder, topped by a cone containing air, and is hermetically sealed except when the cylinder is immersed. Working on the principles of hydraulics and gravitation, it is possible to drop the cylinder to a reasonable depth, and the pressure is indicated on a dial attached to the cone. When the cylinder is drawn up, by taking the pressure and the depth and making the proper computations, the total depth of the sea at that point is determined.

Soundings will be taken every half hour, with the tug going at a speed of about six miles an hour. It is not expected that a depth greater than 6000 feet will be found on the course.

COAL MINE MERGER.

According to Pittsburgh Paper Negotiations for Immense Combination are Coming to a Head.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 20.—The Post today will say:

"Plans for one of the greatest coal-mining company mergers in the history of the country, which include the consolidation of the Pittsburgh Coal Company and especially all the competing interests of these companies in the Ohio, West Virginia and Illinois fields, are again attracting attention in financial circles.

"One of the next steps, according to the coal men, will be the merging of the two big Pittsburgh companies into a single-headed corporation, the river combine with a capitalization of $30,000,000, and the rail combine, with $64,000,000, or a total of $94,000,000. The other corporations that are slated for this final merger will, in the rough estimates, make a combined capital of over $250,000,000."

BUSHNELL'S MIND GONE.

Inventor of Ice Machines and Former Owner of Pacific Coast Plants in Distress at Chicago.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] With his mind affected, William B. Bushnell, inventor, man of letters and formerly a resident of California, awaits at the Detention Hospital the decision of physicians that will either set him free or commit him to the asylum.

Bushnell was found by a patrolman wandering aimlessly in the streets. Among clubmen he is well known. At one time he was wealthy, owning ice plants on the Pacific Coast. He invented several machines for the manufacture of ice, and reaped a fortune. He is a graduate of Yale, and has contributed several articles to leading magazines. Several months ago he came to Chicago, where he has influential friends, leaving his estate entangled in legal difficulties.

A HIGHLY-INTERESTING bit of civil war on the shores of Lake Michigan is described in an article to be published in The Times' Magazine the coming Sunday.

Sixth Anniversary Sale

DON'T WORRY — The Broadway Department Store — WATCH US GROW

BROADWAY COR. FOURTH, LOS ANGELES — ARTHUR LETTS, PROPRIETOR

Bargain-Friday No. 119

These two mighty factors will crowd our store to its utmost. The Bargain floodgates are open and through them will rush a mighty torrent of attention-compelling values that will delight and enthuse any frugal buyer within the reach of this paper. This week's spirited selling leaves many remnants, short lines and broken lots. The rock bottom Anniversary Sale prices have been hammered down to a still lower notch—to overlook these Bargain-Friday offerings means an extravagant waste of opportunities. The early buyers will get the best trade plums, as many lines of wantable merchandise will be closed out in the morning hours that cannot be duplicated later in the day. COME EARLY IF YOU CAN—BUT COME ANY WAY.

Remnant Bulletin

5c Checked Nainsook
5c Colored Dimity
5c White Lawn
6c Bleached Muslin
} Per Yard. 3 3/4c

5c Outing Flannel, yard 2½c
7c Outing Flannel, yard 5c
5c Checked Gingham, yard 3½c
10c Satine Surah, yard 6½c
12½c Llama Cloth, yard 8c
12½c Covert Cloth, yard 10c
10c A. F. C. Gingham, yard 8½c
8½c Percales, yard 4½c
15c Twilled Shirting, yard 10c
20c Zephyr Ginghams, yard 9½c

Mill Ends--Drapery Stuffs

We were very fortunate in securing all the mill ends of silkoline, denims and satines from one of the largest manufacturers in the country. These go on sale Bargain-Friday and will be snapped up in a hurry—so you'd best be quick if you are interested. Here are a few of the prices:

15c Silkoline 7½c
Mill ends, some plain, others fancy, splendid range of colors, new spring patterns, good, wantable lengths; values up to 15c. Bargain-Friday, per yard, 7½c.

25c Fancy Satine 15c
Mill ends of high grade fancy satines, new, fresh goods; rich, artistic designs; good, wantable lengths; cheap at 25c. Bargain-Friday, per yard, 15c.

19c Fancy Denim, 10c
Mill ends of printed denims in new, oriental styles, just the thing for couch covers; good value at 19c. Bargain-Friday, per yard, 10c.

15c Cretonnes 10c
Mill ends of fine grade cretonnes in new lace effects; very pretty patterns; lengths up to 5 yards; good value at 15c. Bargain-Friday, per yard, 10c.

Friday's Specials---Cloak and Suit Section.

Walking skirts, made from 14 oz. Melton, some of all wool cheviot, graduated flounces, stitched at top and bottom, good colors, well assorted lengths, values up to $4.50; Bargain-Friday, each $2.98

$1.25 Underskirts 98c
Made of fine black mercerized satine, accordion plaited ruffle, two styles, good value at $1.25; Bargain-Friday, each, 98c.

Children's Dresses 19c
Made of good grade flannelette, trimmed collar, sizes from 6 months to 6 years, worth nearly double; Bargain-Friday, 19c.

New spring shirt waists, made of good grade percale, neat colorings, complete range of styles, really a 50c value; Bargain-Friday.... 39c

15c Aprons 10c
Women's kitchen aprons, made of good standard gingham, well finished, really a 15c value; Bargain-Friday, each, 10c.

$1.25 Wrappers 69c
Women's wrappers, made of good strong percale, light, medium and dark colors, some without flounce, good range of sizes, values up to $1.25; Bargain-Friday, each 69c.

More Remnants

Japanese wash silks, short lengths that have accumulated from the tremendous selling of the Anniversary week; these are imported materials, in new desirable color combinations, lengths from 2½ to 5 yards, qualities that sell regularly at 45c, 50c and 59c; Bargain-Friday, per yard 29c

Foulard silk remnants, the choicest of these favored fabrics for spring wear, these are 21 inches wide, in lengths from 3 to 7 yards, quality usually sold at 59c; Bargain-Friday, per yard 32c

Remnants of 52 inch all wool black cheviot, just the thing for fine street skirts, lengths from 3 to 4 yards, quality that usually sells at $1.25; Bargain-Friday, per yard 69c

Remnants of plain waisting flannel, these are all wool, all colors are represented, materials that are well worth 50c lengths sufficient for women's waists and children's dresses; Bargain-Friday, per yard 34c

Remnants of shepherd checks, black and white, blue and white, and brown and white, 38 inches wide, good wantable lengths, regular 50c value; Bargain-Friday, per yard 23c

Misses' $9.00 Suits at $6.88

Misses' suits, made from fine all-wool materials, pretty shades of gray and castor, silk lined fancy Eton jackets, unlined skirts, neatly and substantially made, sizes for young ladies from 14 to 18 years, really a $9.00 value. Bargain-Friday, per suit, $6.88.

Child's Muslin Drawers 10c
A limited quantity of child's muslin drawers, some plain, others lace trimmed, all sizes, worth double the price. Bargain-Friday, per pair, 10c.

Muslin Underwear 39c
An odd lot of women's muslin undergarments, gowns, corset covers, drawers, chimeses, etc., values up to 59c; your choice, Bargain-Friday, while they last, 39c.

Friday Bargains from Boys' Section

Boys' suits, juvenile styles, made of all wool blue cheviot, some of fancy cassimeres, in new coloring, finished with satin facings, strong neat appearing suits for youngsters from 3 to 8 years; good values at $2.50; Bargain Friday, per suit $1.48

Boys' Russian blouse suits, made of all wool blue cheviot with chalk-line stripe, stylish, serviceable suits for little men from 3 to 8 years, splendid $3.00 values. Priced for Bargain Friday, per suit $1.98

50c Hats 19c.
Boys' hats, made of fair grade felt, turban shape, gray, blue, or brown, regular 50c each. Bargain Friday, each, 19c.

$1.48 Pants $1.00.
Made of all wool cassimere, tweed or cheviot, long pants for boys from 12 to 19 years, worth $1.48. Bargain-Friday, per pair, $1.00.

69c Knee Pants 39c.
Corduroy knee pants, good weight, well finished, seams don't rip, ages 3 to 15 years, worth 69c. Bargain-Friday, per pair, 39c.

Boys' White Shirts 29c.
Boys' unlaundered white shirts, made of genuine New York mills muslin, good quality linen bosom, sizes 12½ to 14; you often pay 50c for this grade shirt. Bargain Friday, each 29c.

Boys' 25c Shirt Waists 12½c
Odd lines of boys' waists, some of percale, others of cheviot; well made, perfect fitting, ages 6 to 14 years; our regular 25c goods. Bargain Friday, each 12½c.

Furnishing Goods Bargains

Men's white shirts—an accumulation of odds and ends—some soiled and mussed; these are all of representative makes, such as the Standard, Lakeside, Silver and other well-known brands; some with open fronts, others with closed fronts; long or short bosoms; nearly all sizes represented in the lot; values up to $1.50. Your choice Bargain-Friday, while they last 49c

98c Shirts 49c
Men's golf shirts, white, figured and striped madras, full cut, perfect fitting; made with attached cuffs, good range of sizes; regular 98c value. Bargain-Friday, each, 49c.

75c Underwear 29c
Men's underwear, form fitting, ribbed worsted, natural gray color; only a few drawers in the lot; wantable sizes; regular 75c value. Bargain-Friday, per garment, 29c.

Linen Collars 4c
Men's collars; odd lines, good staple shapes; nearly all sizes in the lot; values up to 20c; Bargain-Friday, each 4c.

Men's Garters 14c
The well-known University garter; made of silk elastic; large variety of colors; patent non-tearing fastners; often sold at 25c; Bargain-Friday, per pair, 14c.

Men's Section Specials

Men's suits, odd lots from our $10.00 line, some of fancy cheviot, others of cassimere; strong, serviceable, neatly tailored suits that represent values up to $10.00; sizes for everybody; hurry up and get first choice. Bargain-Friday, each $6.00

$2.00 Pants $1.25
Men's pants, broken lots from our $2 line; good range of sizes, neat colorings; choice Bargain-Friday, per pair, $1.25.

Black Pants $1.48
Men's pants, made of strong, black cheviot, medium weight for spring and fall; plenty of sizes; the sort you pay $2 for elsewhere; Bargain-Friday, per pair, $1.48.

$1.00 Hats 59c
Men's Alpine hats, made of good grade felt; the sort that always sell at $1.00; plenty of sizes; Bargain-Friday, each 59c.

$1.50 Hats 98c
Men's felt hats, made of good fur felt, either stiff or soft; all the popular shapes, all sizes; worth $1.50; Bargain-Friday, each 98c.

$3.00 Hats $1.98
Men's hats, made of high grade fur felt, new shape stiff hats; the Pantouris, golf and Panama shapes, in soft hats; all the new spring colorings; sizes for everybody; Bargain-Friday $1.98.

50c Telescopes 39c
Canvas covered telescope grips, millboard body, good strong straps, fair size; the sort that's usually sold at 50c; Bargain-Friday each 39c.

35c Fancy Hose at 15c

Mill ends, of women's, misses' and children's hose; some fancies, others plain; some handsome lace patterns in the lot; some few pairs slightly imperfect; handsome color combinations, as well as plain black; sterling values up to 35c. Special Bargain-Friday, per pair, 15c.

Women's 15c Gauze Vests 9c
Low neck, short sleeves, fancy lace trimming; worth 15c. Bargain-Friday, each, 9c.

Still More Remnants

Fancy striped skirting satines—fancy sleeve linings—mercerized percalines—fancy mercerized spun glass, black and white moire—all in good wantable lengths; values from 25c to 58c, lengths from 1 to 4¼ yards. Bargain-Friday, per yard 9c

Remnants—skirting moreen—dark grounds with colored satin stripe—27 inches wide—lengths from 1 to 3 yards; values from 50c to 75c. Bargain-Friday, per yard 29c

Remnants of canvas for skirt facings—and stiffening—pure linen—24 inches wide, in white, gray or black—lengths ¾ to 1¼ yards; regular 20c and 25c quality. Bargain-Friday, per yard 11½c

Remnants of spun glass—and kid finished satin silesia—standard 25c grades—black, gray and dark colors—lengths from 1 to 2½ yards. Bargain-Friday, per yard 10c

10c Garters 5c
Side garters—black or colors—Lindsay fasteners—children and misses' size—worth 10c. Bargain-Friday, 5c.

5c Elastic 1c
Fancy ruffled garter elastic—1¼ inches wide—colors only; worth 5c. Bargain-Friday, per yard, 1c.

Friday's Corset Bargains

The Broadway corset, in drab or white; perfect in point of fit and finish; gives an elegant poise to the figure; these are a standard $1 value; a good range of sizes, perfect in every respect; special for Bargain-Friday, per pair 69c

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Spanish Panoche 17½c Per Pound
Real Spanish panoche, made of pure brown sugar, cream and walnuts; sold to confectioners at 35c; fresh from the factory; Bargain-Friday, per pound, 17½c.

Friday's Banner Bargains from the Basement Store

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THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	28	18	23	New York	28	16	22
Washington	30	16	23	Buffalo	20	10	15
Pittsburgh	22	10	16	Cincinnati	26	12	19
Chicago	24	18	21	St. Paul	32	14	23
St. Louis	32	20	26	Kansas City	28	16	22
Los Angeles	76	47	62	Jacksonville	62	52	57

*The maximum is for February 19; the minimum for February 20. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Report and Forecast.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 20.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.16; at 5 p.m., 30.06. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 48 deg. and 60 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 76 per cent.; 5 p.m., 63 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northwest, velocity 6 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 5 miles. Maximum temperature, 72 deg.; minimum, 47 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—A storm is central in the vicinity of Puget Sound, with a southern extension to Central California, and rain is falling from the British border to San Francisco, with precipitation heaviest at Cape Mendocino. Cloudy weather prevails from the San Joaquin Valley southward, except in the extreme south. The San Francisco office advises north-bound vessels of a storm off the California coast.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Generally cloudy and unsettled weather tonight and Friday.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—Weather conditions and general forecast. The following are the seasonal rainfalls to date, as compared with those of the same date last season, and rainfall in the last twenty-four hours:

Stations—	Last twenty-four hours.	This season.	Last season.
Eureka	1.32	31.76	36.76
Red Bluff	.42	15.10	21.30
Sacramento	.32	9.55	15.92
San Francisco	.53	11.04	16.09
Fresno	.06	2.92	9.66

San Francisco data: Maximum temperature, 63 deg.; minimum, 51 deg.; mean, 54 deg.

The pressure has fallen rapidly over Utah and Wyoming, and has risen rapidly from Point Concepcion northward. Rain has fallen generously over Central and Northern California. In the valley, .06 of an inch is reported at Fresno, and on the coast rain is reported at San Luis Obispo. Light showers may possibly occur Friday morning south of the Tehachepi. The temperature has fallen about 16 deg. on the northern coast of California, and is now normal. Weather forecast:

For Northern California: Light showers Friday, breaking away during the day; light southerly winds, changing to northerly.

Southern California: Cloudy Friday; possibly light showers in the morning; light southwest wind.

San Francisco and vicinity: Clearing Friday; light southerly winds, changing to westerly.

Sacramento and vicinity: Clearing Friday; light south winds, changing to westerly.

TEMPERATURES AT 7 A.M. YESTERDAY.

New York	20	St. Louis	22
Chicago	20	Washington	18
Boston	22	Minneapolis	14
Philadelphia	22	Cincinnati	14

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MEETINGS—

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WANTED—
Help, Female.

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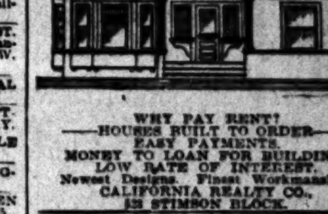

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The crowd at the First Methodist Church last night was seemingly an increase over previous ones, and the enthusiasm was fully as great.

Evangelist Potter preached from the text, Deuteronomy xxxii, 31: "Their rock is not as our rock, even our enemies themselves being judges."

The singing of Mr. and Mrs. Bilhorn was as impressive as usual. Rev. Robert McIntyre took part in the service, making a powerful appeal in prayer, as well as in an address of great eloquence. There were a number of conversions.

The series of meetings will close tonight, and the evangelists will hold a meeting in Union-avenue Methodist Church on Saturday night. Their last service in the city will be held on Sunday, when they will hold an all-day jubilee service in the First Church.

ENDEAVOR MASS MEETING.

Immanuel Presbyterian Church was well filled to hear John Willis Baer last night. His theme was "Christian Endeavor," and no man living can talk on that subject more impressively than Mr. Baer. Following the meeting a reception was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Baer in the social rooms.

AROUND THE KITE.

An excursion was taken around the kite-shaped track yesterday in the interest of the First Presbyterian Church of this city. It proved an immense success, between 500 and 600 people taking advantage of the greatly-reduced rate, and crowding ten coaches. The church netted about $300 on the scheme. They were royally received all along the line, and at Redlands they were escorted to the Y.M.C.A. Armory and served with coffee. It is described by those who were there as one of the jolliest trips on record.

DOWNFALL OF SERFDOM.

"John Wiclif and the Downfall of Serfdom in England" will be Dr. Hugh K. Walker's subject before the Economic League on Monday evening at Y.M.C.A. Hall. The popularity of the speaker, and his broad and genial nature are expected to attract a large audience and make his discussion one of exceptional interest.

At 10:30 a.m. on Monday Dr. Walker will address the Ministerian Union at the same place, on "What the Presbyterian Church is Doing for the World."

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BUSINESS.

Clearances sent by the city banks yesterday amounted to $629,538.78. For the corresponding day last year the clearances were $438,679.74. The figures this year are a little below the average, but reflect a steady condition of business.

Tomorrow will be a legal holiday and all banks will be closed.

Activity in wheat and corn caused numerous fluctuations at Chicago. New York stock speculations were affected by the announced intention of the government to test the railroad merger question. There was enormous selling of several railway bonds.

NO THIRD-RAIL PRIVILEGE.

Whatever action the City Council may take in the franchise matter today—or at any future time—no right to lay a third rail alongside of any track in any public street should be granted to any corporation, company, or individual. Such a concession would work serious and almost irreparable injury to any street upon which a third rail might be laid. It would constitute an unwarranted invasion of the rights of the public, to whom the streets belong. The Council has no moral right to grant a privilege so extraordinary, so plainly destructive of property values, so violently opposed to the public interests.

The veto opportunely sent in by Mayor Snyder has, without much question, rendered the former action of the Council nugatory, and unless the ordinance be readopted by a three-fourths vote, which is manifestly impossible, the Huntington franchise is, and must remain, without validity. This will apparently leave the matter in much the same position as it was in at the time when the Murray bid was declared spurious. What the further action of the Council will be is problematical. There will hardly be an attempt to reopen the verbal bidding, though to do so at the present stage would seem to be as justifiable as the action taken at the time when the award was made to Huntington. The six Councilmen who are apparently owned by the Huntington interests can hardly be expected to award the franchise to the Davis bid, though that would clearly be the course to take if the provisions of the Broughton law were complied with. There is one other course (and it seems likely that this course will be the one pursued,) viz., to reject all bids and readvertise the franchises. In advertising the franchises in the first place, the Council reserved this right, and if it has not lapsed, it may furnish a possible solution of the present muddle.

Should the Council reject all bids and readvertise the franchises, some material alterations must be made in the terms and stipulations. The public interests must be more thoroughly safeguarded in several respects. The monstrous freight privileges must either be eliminated or shorn of all objectionable features. And the third-rail privilege must be stricken out altogether. Under no circumstances should any such privilege be granted to anybody. The damage to property which the third-rail privilege would have inflicted would have been far greater than the amount which the Huntingtons deposited for their franchise. A moment's reflection will convince any reasonable man of this fact. The standard gauge for street railroads in this city is three and one-half feet. All the street-railway tracks in the city are laid on this gauge. The standard gauge for steam railroads is four feet eight and one-half inches. All the proposed Huntington suburban lines are to be built on the latter gauge. It is thus apparent that none of these lines could enter the city over any of the tracks now occupying the streets without the laying of a third rail to each track, fourteen and one-half inches outside of the rail, on one side or the other. On streets where there is now a double track—as is the case on most streets—two additional rails would have to be laid. Thus, on some of our principal business thoroughfares, we should have four lines of rails—an extra rail four-teen and one-half inches outside of each track. The disastrous effects of such construction in the public streets are too apparent for argument. In addition to taking up more than two feet additional space in the streets, the two rails, so near together, would be a serious menace and an unmitigated nuisance, not to be tolerated for a moment. The third-rail privilege must be firmly refused at all hazards.

If the franchises be readvertised, the bidding must be so safeguarded that fair and open competition between the bidders will be assured; and, above all, the people's interests must be safeguarded at all points. That is what we have a City Council for—to protect the people, not to betray them.

SIBERIA AS A MARKET.

Some time ago The Times ventured to suggest that there would soon be found a promising opening for California products in Siberia, and that it would be a good idea for our merchants and manufacturers to keep their eyes on that vast country, which is now connected with Europe by rail. A far-sighted railroad company, the Canadian Pacific, which controls a fleet upon the Pacific Ocean, and is therefore directly interested in the possibilities of trade with Siberia, recently sent a responsible official to that country. After a complete tour over the Siberian railway, this gentleman, W. Whyte, made a report in detail, which was presented to the directors and then published in pamphlet form. It is an examination by an expert in railroad traffic of the possibilities which the country affords for the development of business, particularly in relation to manufactured goods from the United States and Canada. In this respect the conclusions arrived at are satisfactory. It is known that throughout Asiatic Russia there is a large market for many classes of American goods, which would be decidedly larger but for the practically prohibitory duties imposed under the Russian tariff laws upon many classes of manufactured articles. It is to be noted, however, that, as far as agricultural implements—which are admitted duty free—are concerned, the manufactures of the United States hold the leading place in all portions of Siberia.

The Russian government is doing all it can to stimulate immigration from European Russia to Siberia. In a government publication printed at St. Petersburg it is stated that the government expects to settle 5,000,000 people in Siberia during the next five years, and it is also claimed that Siberia will export fully 30,000,000 bushels of wheat per annum. This, of course, will make it impossible for California to ship wheat and flour to Northern Asia, but there are a great many other products of the soil raised in California which can never be grown in Siberia, and for these we should soon be able to find a profitable market in the Asiatic dominions of the Czar, unless restrictive tariff regulations should be placed in the way.

THE DECISION IS FINAL.

However much opinions may differ as to the so-called "Sampson-Schley controversy," the decision rendered by the President is final. In his capacity as Commander-in-Chief of the Army and Navy, the President was called upon to utter the final official word in this much-to-be-regretted and more or less nauseous affair. He has performed his duty in the premises—not, perhaps, to the liking of everybody—and the case is closed.

Let us hope that the "controversy" is ended for all time. People will continue to discuss the affair, no doubt. But so far as official action, one way or another, is concerned, the end has been reached. The President seems to have gone into the subject very exhaustively, having read, as he declares, the entire evidence before the court, together with the statements of counsel, pro and con, and a great deal of other matter connected with the case. Even those who do not coincide in all respects with the President's conclusions will probably concede that he has given the question earnest and conscientious attention, and that he is wholly sincere in his deductions.

This whole miserable affair has been a disgrace to the American navy, and its effect upon the navy itself cannot be otherwise than to impair, in some degree, its morale and efficiency. Let us hope that we never shall look upon the like of this unsavory scandal again.

The Hermosa continues to make daily trips between Catalina and San Pedro without reporting a vacuum anywhere in the Pacific.

If George Washington could gaze in at the scrap between the Daughters of the American Revolution, in convention at Washington, he would doubtless feel like bringing that famous little hatchet down with a vicious whack upon the table and calling for order.

Mr. Courlay of Nova Scotia says, "If it is necessary to fight the Yankees, the Canadians will capture their capital inside of six months, and annex it to Canada." It is feared Mr. Courlay has been poring over the South American dispatches until his brain has reached the excitable stage.

President Harper of Chicago University has returned from New York to his home by the sad lake waves with a million dollars for a law school. He won't tell where he got the money, and some say it's a matter of professional jealousy that keeps him quiet.

Although the Dowager Empress is throwing court etiquette to the wind and breaking down old-established customs, she has not yet shown such strenuous signs of civilization as to announce ping-pong parties for the ladies of the legation.

A conductor on the Chicago and Alton Railroad has just been left $1000 by a man to whom he was courteous on his train. Pullman porters should not be weary in well doing. There's no knowing where the lightning will strike next.

President Roosevelt's poke at the merger deal of the Northern Securities Company has caused the New York stock market to stagger against the wall and call for the camphor bottle.

The Zionist movement in London is stirring, but old man Dowie is not quite ready to rouse the American contingent and scoot skyward with them in his fiery chariot.

Texas cowboys have a grievance. Wireless telegraphy is to be installed, and the cowboys are wondering what they will shoot at along the road with the insulators all gone.

An Indiana minister has publicly rejected the Lord's Prayer. There are yet a few people on this earth who have an idea that they can give the Creator a few pointers.

Here is what equality among men and women is coming to. A man in Benton Harbor, Mich., has sued his wife for divorce, charging her with non-support.

This is the way the reporter of the future will get it: "Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson and their charming daughter, Alice, ping-ponged at Pasadena yesterday."

When Prince Henry views that golden codfish in Boston he will doubtless wonder why they didn't serve him codfish balls instead of baked beans.

Col. Hank Watterson says he would rather be an editor than President, anyway. Col. Hank digests his sour grapes with evident good grace.

The "persecuted and down-trodden" Filipino exists only in the minds of Wheeler, Wellington, Bryan, Eddie Atkinson and a few other such ranters.

The Salvation Army in compiling a list of booze professionals of this country, will please bear in mind that John L. Sullivan has reformed.

Maurice Grau thinks that the worst influence in modern music is the law. It won't let him charge $5 for standing room to see Prince Henry.

Senatorial courtesy has advanced a notch. Senator Tillman set the pace when he called Senator Beveridge a grasshopper.

Lawyer Raker seems to have just as much fun out of it as if he were on the Senate floor along with Tillman and Teller.

Poor old Spain again has the stomach ache, and "Butcher" Weyler is attempting to administer heroic remedies.

The Cramps have attacked Germany, but in the pariance of the business world, "they're pleasant pains."

Iowa is cackling. A Dubuque man swallowed thirty-four eggs inside of ten minutes, on a wager.

Kansas City has a municipal bouquet on hand which is giving forth garbage-barrel perfumery.

The Rice murder is giving the saffron papers of New York a severe case of "janders."

The Snake Indians are squirming and wiggling along toward the warpath.

And the Batangas insurgents have finally found the buttered side of their bread.

Here's a sweeping announcement for housewives: Brooms have advanced in price.

Daughters of the American Revolution nearly had one all by themselves.

WOMEN WANT TO VOTE.

Nearly Sixty-seven Thousand of Them Present a Petition to Parliament Asking for the Franchise.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Feb. 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Sixty-six thousand eight hundred women, textile and factory workers of Lancashire, Yorkshire and Cheshire, have presented a petition to Parliament praying for immediate possession of the franchise and declaring the right to vote "is of vital importance to women engaged in the industrial struggle for existence."

Trades unionists are supporting the appeal. They say the demand for woman suffrage will be pressed until Parliament yields. The women assure the Westminster legislators that when permitted to vote they will exercise a triumphant force in the direction of social reform and administrative efficiency.

JUMBO OF THEM ALL.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 20.—The new ship Kroonland was launched at Cramps' shipyard this afternoon. The contract speed is 17 knots an hour, and the boat is 560 feet long, 66 feet wide and 42 feet deep. Loaded, the craft will have a displacement of 20,000 tons, with accommodations for 200 first cabin, 250 second cabin and 750 steerage passengers. The Kroonland is the largest vessel thus far built in the United States, and the third of a quartette of twin-screw vessels constructed for the International Navigation Company's New York-Antwerp service.

"STINK-NEST" IS BERATED.

"Down With Gas Plant" in Eighth Ward.

Loud Protest Against Lowe's Factory.

Speakers Say Law Can Stop Operations on the Buildings.

The people of the Eighth Ward rose in their might last night at a mass meeting held in the Congregational Church, Main and Railroad streets, and protested vigorously against the building of a gas plant in that neighborhood. About 100 men and women were in attendance, and after listening to addresses by E. L. Hutchison, J. F. Helm, A. J. Norton, Councilman Allen and others, they adopted resolutions calling for the abatement of the nuisance. These resolutions are to be presented to the Mayor and City Council by a committee consisting of Walter J. Horgan, E. L. Hutchison and A. J. Norton.

Walter J. Horgan, member of the Board of Education from the Eighth Ward, was chairman of the meeting, and it was an earnest body of hard-working men and their wives who listened to him as he made the opening address, in which he outlined the purpose of the meeting. Most of them are owners of humble homes in the neighborhood in which the Suburban Gas Company has built a coke oven and a gas tank, and they were there to do what they could to protect their interests against what are termed the illegal encroachments of the gas manufacturers. Many of them have lived in that quarter of the city for years, working in the factories and shops of the neighborhood, and striving diligently to build their little homes and to acquire a competence for their later years. The imminent danger of property values, which they see in the coming of the gas factory, and the contamination of the air with gaseous fumes which will result from the operation of the plant, have aroused them to protest against the infliction of the nuisance upon them and to take such measures as they can to protect their interests.

In calling for an expression of the sentiments of the meeting, Mr. Horgan said: "Your enemy the gas company has proceeded to erect a gas plant without authority; a coke oven is built, a large gas tank is nearing completion, and within a very short time, unless you take the action which is your right, the neighborhood will be filled with a filthy mass of stifling smoke and fumes; the stench and soot will drive you from your homes, and you will be forced for the protection of your health to seek other quarters, while you will see the value of your holdings decrease until it will be almost impossible even to give away your once-vaulable property. Proper and immediate action on your part will protect you from this impending danger."

J. F. Helm, a home owner, rose to protest against the coming of the "stink-nest," and inquired where the Fire Commission obtained its authority to inflict the nuisance on the taxpayers of the ward. "We shall never give up," said Helm, "unless these things are served out. The line has come when we shall see that the ruling power of the city is shifted unless we can get the rights that are ours. If there is any law that will protect us, we will not be defeated in our righteous cause."

E. L. Hutchison ("El Hutch,") who is a resident of the Eighth Ward, presented the legal phase of the question, saying that the building of a gas plant is in direct opposition to the State Constitution, the city charter and the municipal ordinances. The Building Superintendent, he said, has the right and with one stroke of his pen can stop the building of the obnoxious gas plant. Any one can invoke the aid of the courts, he said, and put a stop to the operations, and the Street Superintendent can stop the laying of pipe in the streets. "If these officials refuse to do their duty," said the speaker, "they can be compelled to do so by mandamus proceedings.

"The Fire Commission," he said, "has decided that this is a good place to permit the operations of a wealthy woman who is lending financial aid to an erratic professor, who has made a failure of every enterprise he has fostered. This same man once started a gas plant in the Seventh Ward and sold out at an opportune time; built one railroad that was a financial failure, and built another in his mind. Now he comes into the heart of Los Angeles for the purpose of building a factory which is to supply Pasadena, South Pasadena and possibly Milpitas and Calabasas with illuminant.

"About twelve thousand of us live in this ward. We can smell as others do, but these commissioners say our noses don't count. This is the smallest and the most thickly-settled ward in the city, yet we must have this foul-smelling thing planted in our midst. This is not a matter of sentiment; it is a matter of law. These people are breaking into the city in direct conflict with the State Constitution, and with the building ordinances of the city. There is nothing the matter with the law. If you want this nuisance abated and don't abate it you are cowards. No one has a right to put down a foot of gas pipe in this city except for the purpose of furnishing the inhabitants of the city with gas for lighting. An ordinance has been passed prohibiting the erection of a gas plant in this manner, and the charter says you can stop the erection of any building for which permission has not been granted. Yet no one has lifted a finger, batted an eye or turned a hair to stop this thing. If there is one man that dares raise his hand this can be stopped at once. Your rights are clear and you should protect them."

Councilman Allen was introduced as "a man who always has the interests of the people at heart," and he told how hard he had worked in the Council for the passage of an ordinance which should protect the Eighth Ward from the building of a gas plant in its center. He referred also to the meeting in his ward, the Sixth, a few nights ago, when he got a message protesting against his attitude on the franchise question.

LAYING PIPE RAPIDLY.

T. S. C. Lowe, Jr., president of the Suburban Gas Company, called at the Street Superintendent's office late yesterday afternoon to get out another permit to dig in the streets. He says that the company has already laid about two miles of pipe in the city and that the coke plant is rapidly nearing completion. It will have a capacity of fifteen tons of coke a day, he says. Should the case brought by the Valley Gas and Fuel Company to determine the right of a municipality to compel a gas company to purchase a franchise be decided by the Supreme Court in favor of the company, Lowe says they will be in an excellent position to extend their mains this side of the Plaza.

MUSIC AND MUSICIANS.

Hofmann Recital.

Hofmann sounded the note of enthusiasm long and loud last evening at the Auditorium, in his first recital before a Los Angeles public. The storm of applause which followed upon his opening number was deafening, and it increased with interest until the end of the programme. The young maestro was forced to bow his acknowledgments five and six times after each selection, and finally added two encore numbers in order to get rid of his importunate audience. Otherwise the delighted people might still be clamoring. There was certainly no limit to the demonstration.

Hofmann's genius is not merely technical, as some writers aver; nor is it one-sided. It is before all things adaptable. His programme last night presented a varied scheme of intellect and heart, and in each number he was at one with the music, understanding it, living in it. In the Haydn "Variations, F Minor," the Schubert "Impromptu, G. Major" and the Chopin "Ballade, A Flat Major and Prelude" his tone was pure, sweet, but vif, and his playing most delicate and exquisite in conception and execution, into the prelude he infused also a simple tenderness.

Ho mann's playing is the poetic, idealistic playing of a youth who dreams rather than that of a man who feels. The note of sorrow is absent. But there is present a presage of emotional and rugged power to come. His touch is always musical. In the "Gnomenreigen" (Liszt) it was as light as the flight of summer bees, which seem scarcely to touch the white blossoms, yet color them with delicate loveliness. His work, though poetic, is entirely free from sugary sentimentality and popular appeal.

In the "Soirée de Vienne" (Schubert,) he showed a joyous verve, and his light, swift, ringing tone was a delight.

The tour de force was the Wagner-Liszt "Tannhauser Overture," a tremendous technical feat, which Hofmann accomplished with the readiest ease. As an extra number he gave the Schubert "Tausig March." In these numbers he showed again the perfection of tone-control, for, though every wire in the instrument clanged again, no shade of sweetness was lost. The Schumann "Nachstuke" Hofmann played with a style reverence and devotion. His playing is most natural, devoid of strain after effect, simple and sincere. The great compelling power which comes from sorrow and emotion for him is yet in the future. Hofmann is still only a lad, only half-awake to the knowledge of life. But truly his is a marvelous semi-sleep. On Saturday Hofmann will play again.

Nevada's Farewell.

Mme. Nevada, the Californian favorite, will make her farewell to Los Angeles on Saturday evening. Her visit will long be remembered as the greatest vocal success of the season.

BANKRUPTS MUST PAY.

Judge Wellborn's Final Decision in Cases of San Luis Obispo Italians—Attorney Dorn Censured.

Judge Wellborn's final decision in the De Gottardi and Righetti bankruptcy case, the trial of which lately occupied so much time in the United States Courts here, was filed yesterday. Natale De Gottardi and David E. Righetti are the two merchants of Cayucos, near San Luis Obispo, who were convicted before Judge Wellborn of fraud in declaring themselves bankrupt, and ordered to jail until they produce the $12,000 which they are believed to be withholding from their creditors. Several incidents of the trial, which seemed to implicate one of the attorneys in the scheme to defraud, made the case an interesting one, and the court roasted F. A. Dorn, Esq., attorney for the defendants, so severely in the original decision that it was withheld at Dorn's request, that he might explain himself more fully.

In his final decision Judge Wellborn still censures Dorn for taking from the bankrupts the $900 claimed to be due for services and $2000 as a retainer. In the decision he says: "After careful review of all the evidence, I am forced to the conclusion that the bankrupts were not indebted in any amount whatever to Mr. Dorn at the time the checks were turned over to him. A retainer of $2000 as a reasonable professional employment to investigate the alleged robbery is too preposterous for serious comment, and even its bona fides might well be questioned. Either the bankrupts transferred said checks to Mr. Dorn with an understanding that he should return the money collected thereon, or else the bankrupts were so perturbed and alarmed at their situation that they weakly submitted to an unrighteous exaction. Mr. Dorn's connection with said transfer cannot be passed over in silence. It is temperate animadversion to say that his agency in said transaction cannot be otherwise than grossly offensive to a court of justice."

F. A. Dorn was formerly County Attorney of San Luis Obispo county, and gets a rather severe professional knock from the court in this decision.

Henry Ach, Esq., of San Francisco, who was attorney for the creditors, and was at first scored by the court for giving a box of candy to a waitress in Cayucos, who was a witness in the case, is exonerated in the final decision, as it was found that one of Ach's assistants made the present to the girl.

De Gottardi and Righetti claim that, under the present sentence, they are in jail for life, as they have no money.

LEDOCHOWSKI RESIGNS.

One of the "Three Popes" and the Old-time Opponent of Bismarck—Was Prefect of the Propaganda.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ROME, Feb. 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Cardinal Ledochowski, whose silver jubilee as a prince of the church was celebrated two years ago, has resigned as prefect of the propaganda. The prefect exercises spiritual jurisdiction over all that part of the world not governed by the Catholic ruler, and his influence is so great that it is a common saying in Rome that there are three Popes, a white one at the Vatican, a black one at the Jesuit College and a red one at the propaganda.

Cardinal Ledochowski was Bismarck's great opponent in Germany during the time of the "Kulturkampf." Bismarck imprisoned the cardinal, who was then Archbishop of Posen.

MAHMUD SMARTER THAN OSMAN.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 20.—The trial of Gen. Osman Pasha, on the charge of high treason, began today behind closed doors. Osman, who is a son of the famous Kurdish chief, Bedrahan Pasha, fled to Europe and thence to Cairo, but he was induced to return to Constantinople by the Sultan's promise of pardon. On arriving here Osman was immediately arrested.

LOCAL RAILROAD RECORD.

ESPEE AT ITS OLD TRICKS.

Third Track Laid Over East-side Streets.

Plan to Balk Electric Road Crossing.

Big New Cars for University Line—Big Money in Beach Traffic.

There was something doing in railroad circles yesterday over on the East Side.

Almost before the people most interested realized what was going on, the Southern Pacific, with its usual grace and dexterity, succeeded in laying a third track over a stretch of land which included not only its private right of way, but three streets and highways.

If there is anything the Southern Pacific wants, it simply takes it—the idea of asking the powers that be for the proper authority is out of date, according to that company's code of ethics.

The third track laid yesterday runs from a point about eighty yards east of Eastlake avenue and opposite Eastlake Park, on Mission road and Alhambra avenue, crossing Eastlake avenue and Hancock street.

Just a few feet south of Hancock street, the end of the unfinished track now lies. Neither end is connected with the main line, but material is on the ground, at the upper end, for switch connections.

About 11 o'clock yesterday forenoon a work train with 200 laborers, cars of earth to make the required grade, ties, rails, plates, switches—in fact, a whole section of track material, ready to slap down—was run out on the main line, and as soon as the train stopped one of the liveliest stunts of railroad building ever seen in Los Angeles was taking place.

By 5 o'clock the third track was an accomplished fact, the company had possession of the streets, and a wide possession, too.

Not according to ordinary railroad building is this third track. It lies fully twice as far from the track beside it as the space left between the road's two main tracks, and runs outside the line of telegraph poles.

But the most peculiar part of the rapid railway construction is the odd manner in which the Southern Pacific people thought it necessary to strengthen the roadbed at the crossing of Eastlake avenue.

On the work train that took out the new railroad were numerous short sections of old rails. These, according to the statements of citizens who witnessed the operations, were placed in a promiscuous pile under the new track and projecting under the main-line double track, and then covered with soil.

Possibly the explanation of the unusual care to strengthen this crossing may be found in the fact that a little to the south of it lie the already-prepared cross rails for the new Pasadena electric short line, ready to have been put in at the spot, fortified by the Southern Pacific's old rails.

At Alhambra avenue and Hancock street the new track runs within two feet of the sidewalk in front of Mr. Elsner's residence.

During the afternoon Park Commissioner Russell heard of the work and telephoned to John Muir, who was taken completely by surprise over the Southern Pacific's move.

A telephone message to the Superintendent of Streets reached him between 4 and 5 o'clock, when the work was practically completed.

The subject was immediately taken up by the City Hall officials, and will likely be brought before the City Council today or at any rate, Monday.

CARS FOR UNIVERSITY LINE.

The big new cars just received for the Los Angeles Railway Company will be put on the University line. As fast as others come they will go on that line until it is completely equipped. Then, probably, the Boyle Heights line will be similarly favored. These two lines meet with direct competition from the Traction, which may account for this.

MONEY IN BEACH TRAFFIC.

The net income made by the Los Angeles-Pacific Railway Company, the Santa Monica trolley line, last year, is said to have been about $60,000.

GOING TO FAR EAST.

The new possessions of the United States in the Far East are making oriental travel very popular. The largest party of tourists ever organized in Los Angeles is about to leave here for a trip to Yokohama, Nagasaki, Shanghai, Hongkong and return, touching at Honolulu. This party consists of prominent eastern tourists visiting in Los Angeles. They are people who have seen nearly all Europe at different times, and now wish to see the Orient. Of this party are George W. Higgins, a retired merchant from Chicago, with his wife and daughter; W. Waldo Burton and wife, who is a daughter of Mr. Higgins, and their friend, Miss Helen Chase, who is the daughter of the junior member of the firm of Kohler & Chase, piano manufacturers; William Lafayette Burton of New Orleans and Miss Charlotte Van Housen of the same place.

RAILROAD NOTES.

G. A. Parkyns, general agent of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, and N. R. Martin, ticket agent, report very active booking for the Orient.

William McMurray, manager of the Southern Pacific information bureau, is here from San Francisco.

H. E. Huntington is expected back from San Francisco today.

C. H. Knapp, assistant general freight agent of the Chicago and Northwestern, and family, are due here about the end of next week. They will spend a month in Southern California.

Paul Burks, a young Los Angeles attorney, has been appointed assistant solicitor of the Santa Fé system. He succeeds Henry Stevens in the office of C. N. Sterry, Esq., and will assume his duties March 1.

HANNA AND LABORITES.

The Senator Sees Great Things in the Work of the National Civic Federation—No Definite Plan, However.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Senator Hanna, who presided yesterday at the meeting of the Executive Committee of the National Civic Federation, said today:

"As to the results of the meeting, I am highly gratified. It shows an increasing interest in our work—the fact that thirty out of the forty members were present, many coming a great distance, shows how interested and that is that labor and capital closer to an understanding. All those present the greatest cordiality prevailed, and all seemed to the same purpose.

"As to permanent results now, I am not able to say anything as to date. All I can do is to hope. The repeatedly futile efforts to bring labor and capital to an understanding justify doubt any new plan. Individually, however, I have every confidence in the efforts of the National Civic Federation, and as yet I see nothing that should discourage us."

TWENTY-FIFTH YEAR OF LEO'S PONTIFICATE

IMPRESSIVE SERVICE IN ST. PETER'S MARKS THE DAY.

Grand Celebration of the Event Postponed Until March Third, When Combined Festivals of Jubilee and Coronation Will Be Observed.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

ROME, Feb. 20.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Pope today entered on the fifth year of his pontificate. Although the main celebration of the jubilee was postponed until March 3, when the combined festivals of the jubilee and coronation will be observed, today was marked by the singing of a Te Deum in St. Peter's, and other observances. The Pontiff was the recipient of congratulations from all sides.

PRESENTED WITH MEDAL.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

ROME, Feb. 20.—During the course of the day the Pope received in audience in the throne room a committee which presented to him a commemorative medal, replicas of which were distributed to pilgrims at the appropriate celebrations.

The singing of the Te Deum in St. Peter's was the most impressive service in years. At the conclusion of the Te Deum the Pope appeared at the window of his apartments and watched the crowd disperse. He was saluted by the waving of hats and handkerchiefs.

READY TO DISGORGE.

Kelly, Burge and Stiles Will Give Up Thousands of Pounds in Return for Mild Sentences.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.P.]

LONDON, Feb. 20.—[By Atlantic Cable.] At the resumption of the hearing of the charges growing out of the Bank of Liverpool frauds at the Bailey today, F. T. Kelly, a bookmaker of Bradford, and Stiles, another bookmaker, both charged with complicity in the robberies, pleaded guilty. Sentences in their cases were postponed until Thursday.

In return for a mitigation of the prisoner's sentence, counsel for Kelly promised the restitution of £30,000. Counsel for Dick Burge and Stiles promised that their clients would restore all the money they had. When the judge remarked that he would not make promises, and the money must be handed over. Hence, the postponement of the sentences until Saturday.

GOLD AND COPPER.

Experts Report the Discovery of Mines of Immense Richness in Different Parts of Africa.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.P.]

LONDON, Feb. 20.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Reports from two experts have been received in London from different parts of Africa, which, if borne out later by developments, are likely to have an important influence on the world's gold and copper supply. One of the reports comes from Assinia on the French ivory coast, and says that a reef of quartz gold, eight feet wide, and panning from two to eight ounces, has been opened up.

From North Rhodesia the British Chartered South Africa Company has received news of the discovery of a copper field estimated at forty square miles. The field is situated 150 miles north of Victoria Falls, and runs thence to the Congo Free State. In the ancient mines dug by the natives, and reopened by engineers in the employ of the Chartered Company, assays of 44 per cent. are now being secured, besides a large percentage of silver. So much importance does the Chartered Company attach to this discovery that the Cape to Cairo Railway will be diverted to pass through the copper fields. Work on this section of the road has been accelerated, and it is expected that it will be completed early in 1903.

VENEZUELA GAINS A VICTORY.

WILLEMSTAD (Curacao) Feb. 20.—The Venezuelan government has received word that the partisans of Gen. Matos, the leader of the recent revolution against President Castro, who, under the command of Gens. Riera and Penaloza, lately landed on the Venezuelan coast near Valed Cora, were defeated by the government troops February 17. The Venezuelan Congress convened today in the Federal palace at Caracas. The Presidential message was not delivered to the Congress.

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Assistant Commissioner Lee and President Silver were assigned to a committee of two to select a proper office, centrally located, to be occupied as headquarters by the president of the board until such time as the Council shall provide permanent quarters.

The Committee on Rules and Regulations submitted a preliminary report, the most important portion of which is that which changes the hours at which sprinkling is permitted. The recommendation is that the hours be from 5 to 9 o'clock a.m., and from 6 to 10 p.m. Regulations for the government of the system are in course of preparation and will be submitted later.

The committees of three each on Supplies and Extensions, are to be appointed at the next meeting of the commission.

A petition was received from seventy-seven residents of the Vernon district, asking for the extension of water mains on Central avenue between Jefferson and Slauson streets, and on intersecting streets in that territory. This was referred to Superintendent Mulholland for a report.

Engineer Miner submitted an estimate of $6,016.66 for salaries and supplies for the six months beginning March 1, this being for salaries of regular clerical employés, and the regular bills for stationery and supplies. He also asked the commission to allow $6206 for the water operators for the month of February. The commission approved the February roll, amounting to $2806.33.

A communication was received from the Board of Education asking that water be provided for the Vernon, Lincoln and Harmony schools, which are practically without. The commissioners who responded to roll call at yesterday's meeting were Messrs. Lee, Toll and Grant; Elliott later.

MONTANA SILVER ORE.

HELENA, (Mont.) Feb. 20.—A special to the Herald from Helena, Mont., says the Smelting and Refining Company's plant at East Helena has received a shipment of silver ore, which is said to be the richest ever made here. The ore assays $8000, and is approximately one-quarter silver. The ore is made from a mine at Marysville. The strike is said to be phenomenal, large quantities of the ore being so malleable as to be cut with a knife.

Mr. Hillman, the banker, has given $100, which will be used for the endowment of a new chair of mining in the Harvard Medical School.

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ROYAL FORESTERS INSTALL.

Pretty Ceremony Conducted Last Evening—Knights of Pythias Going to San Bernardino Tomorrow.

With waving plumes and glistening swords presented, the newly-elected officers of Los Angeles Encampment, Royal Foresters of America, were publicly installed last night in Foresters' Temple, First and Spring streets. The invited guests filled the large hall to watch the pretty ceremonies, which were conducted by Maj.-Gen. R. E. Wirsching of the California division, assisted by Adjt.-Gen. R. W. Martin.

The new officers are W. E. Reavis, Illustrious Commander; F. W. Wismer, Lieutenant-Commander; F. A. Valle, Orator; A. Wallace, Chancellor; O. H. Nunnaley, Arch; C. B. Freeman, Marshal; G. Fetch, C. of G.; J. H. Harding, S. R.; D. Millsap, Standard Bearer; L. A. Kleckner and E. M. Pratt, Sword Bearers; J. L. Montgomery, I. G.; Ed Stead, O. G.

After the installation refreshments were served and dancing followed.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

A large delegation of Knights of Pythias will go to San Bernardino tomorrow to participate in the institution of the Twelfth company of the Uniform Rank, which completes the Third Regiment. The new company will be mustered in by Col. G. S. Adolph and Gen. McGlashan and staff of San Francisco will be present. The Rathbone Sisters have secured a beautiful flag for the new company, and it will be presented by Col. J. G. Scarborough. In honor of the event there will be a big street parade tomorrow evening in San Bernardino.

FRATERNAL NOTES.

The Rebekah lodges of the city will give an entertainment tomorrow evening in Odd Fellows' Hall.

East Los Angeles Lodge, Fraternal Brotherhood, will give an entertainment and dance tonight at Banquet Hall, Downey avenue.

Court Los Angeles, Foresters of America, is preparing for a big time this evening at the hall, No. 107½ North Main street, when candidates will be initiated and the second degree will be conferred on all new candidates. Refreshments will be served.

DIES IN A HALLWAY.

E. S. Blasdel, Wealthy Mining Man, Expires Suddenly While Going to His Room in the Van Nuys.

E. S. Blasdel, a wealthy mining man, well known throughout the State, died very suddenly Wednesday night in a hallway of the Van Nuys Hotel. He had been living at the hotel since he was divorced from his wife nearly a year ago. He appeared to be in robust health. Wednesday evening at 9 o'clock he left the hotel lobby to go to his room. A few minutes later a bellboy found his body on the floor.

Deceased was 49 years of age and was a brother of Mrs. E. P. Johnson, wife of the president of the Los Angeles Furniture Company. He was a brother also of former Gov. H. G. Blasdel of Nevada. He owned valuable mining properties in California, Arizona and Lower California.

The Coroner said yesterday that he had not heard of the death, and he didn't know why his attention had not been called to the case.

LEE TURNER CAPTURED.

KNOXVILLE (Tenn.) Feb. 20.—Lee Turner, proprietor of the "Quarter House," near Middlesboro, Ky., which was burned during the fight between officers and mountaineers last week, was captured here today.

"NIBBLERS."

Not The Proper Way To Take Food.

Clerks in grocery stores are apt to nibble at this and that article of food, and if they are not careful acquire a "case of stomach." This was the case with L. Shoemaker, Artic, Ind.

"While I was clerking in a grocery store it was difficult to resist the temptation to eat a little of this and that; a bit of candy, some fruit or crackers, and one thing and another. After about a year I had serious stomach trouble and had run down to 91 pounds, was pale and sallow and poor as a snake. I could sleep but little at night and my distress was terrible.

"Finally I was compelled to give up my position and take treatment for my health. I heard of Grape-Nuts Breakfast Food and began to use it regularly. I soon began to recover both health and strength, until at the end of about three months' steady use I was as fat and well that I was weighed and found I weighed 160 pounds, which was a gain of 69 pounds in that time. This may sound a little fishy but it is the plain truth and can be verified by any one who cares to inquire of my friends who know the facts."

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That this is the best shoe store on this coast for men, women and children, is as true as the answer George Washington gave his father. Our shoes are perfectly made of the best stock procurable, in the most scientific way. We carry a larger assortment of styles, and exclusive novelties than you'll see in any two or three other stores. Our prices are the lowest for the highest quality.

C. M. STAUB SHOE CO., 235 South Broadway.

Getting Even

"BRIDGET, you've broken as much china this month as your wages amount to. Now, how can we prevent this occurring again?" "I don't know, mum, unless ye raises my wages."

We won't have to advance our prices this year to get even on our profit and loss account. We don't have accounts. If we did do you suppose we could sell our $2.00 hat for $2.00? No, indeed: we'd have to charge as much as the other stores do. We sell merchandise just the same as Uncle Sam sells stamps—strictly for cash. Cash buying at a cash selling store lightens cares, makes the step lighter and the pocketbook heavier. Try trading with us for a month. You'll like it.

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239 South Broadway, opp. City Hall, Los Angeles.

High-grade hosiery for ladies and children a third or a half less than regular prices. That is the gist of today's news. The rest is mere detail.

High-grade Hosiery

Women wait for our special hosiery announcements and then come in for several month's supply. They will do it tomorrow and will save a tidy sum by it.

Dollar Hose at 50c

Ladies' silk plate hose in fast black and colors. Also a line of fine high-grade novelty effects in Paris lisle thread, fine Sea Island cotton. Not a pair of this hosiery would be sold in a regular way at less than a dollar. On special sale Friday and Saturday at 50c the pr.

3 Pair for $1.00

Ladies' fine novelty hosiery. A regular 50c quality of ours, now special at 35c the pair, 3 pair for $1.00.

A 25c Special

This line includes ladies' fine polka-dot hosiery—black with white dots, also with black and white figures. The patterns are good, the quality is good and it is in every way a splendid value at 25c the pair.

School Hose 3 Pair for 50c

This is a standard 25c quality of children's school hose. Derby ribbed fast black cotton which is sold everywhere at 25c. Special Friday and Saturday at 3 pair for 50c.

We want to fix firmly in your mind the fact that the ART GOODS, RUGS, BLANKETS and BEDDING, CURTAINS, DRAPERY and UPHOLSTERY GOODS are now on the third floor, where they have room for proper display. Therefore we institute a special sale in these departments beginning next Monday. Full particulars will be given in our announcement Sunday morning.

2-21-1902

H. JEVNE

Chickens Dressed for Roasting.

We're taking orders now for finer dressed chickens for roasting than you can get any place else. The chickens are raised on the Santa Clara Farm, and for three weeks before they are marketed they are penned in stalls and fattened—the only people on this Coast who specially prepare their chickens this way. Of course, this makes them unusually tender, fat and juicy, and they are, without exception, the finest chickens you can buy. Send us your order today for a chicken to be delivered Saturday. All orders must be given in advance. If you once eat a Santa Clara Farm chicken, no other chickens will satisfy you.

Smoke Jevne's Fine Cigars.

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15 per cent. Discount on St. Claire Steel Ranges

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House Furnishings.

This morning we want the attention of housekeepers, hotel and restaurant proprietors, and all buyers of

Table Linens, Napkins, Towels, Bedspreads, etc.

We can save you money on these goods, can show you a larger, more carefully selected stock, and can quote greater values than you have known.

Extra wide, full bleached Table Damasks in a large variety of new designs (with napkins to match) at 75c a yard and up.

72-in. cream Damask, heavy satin finished, beautiful floral patterns, $1.00 a yard and $1.25.

Special—70-inch full satin bleached Table Damask, a dozen or more entirely new designs; fine, soft, pure Irish linen (with 3-4 or 5-8 napkins to match) at, yard, $1.00.

A new and complete line of 3-4 Dinner Napkins in all the popular designs, up from $1.50.

Dinner and Lunch Sets, fringed, bordered or hemstitched, handsome, exclusive style, from $4.50 each to $45.00.

Hemmed Huck Towels, pure linen, heavy and firm, 20x40 inch size. Special value, each, 25c.

Satin Damask Towels, knotted fringe, pure linen, extra large size. Special, each, 25c.

New Quilts and Spreads.

Latest styles in Marseilles and Satin Quilts, plain white or with fancy colored centers and corners of lilacs, roses, etc.; also pink and white and blue and white.

Fine Satin Fringed Quilts, new styles and designs, all prices. Figured Dimity Spreads for brass beds; beautiful styles, at $2.75.

"Study the past if you would divine the future." See our reproductions if you would study the past.

Mahogany Parlor Furniture.

The grand old mahogany never loses its charm or its beauty. We show a window of mahogany parlor furniture in the old French reproductions. Notice the carving—how elaborate, how artistic; notice the shapes and designs of the frames. The upholstering is done to correspond—rich cut velours in plain colors and two and three-color effects. Arm chairs, rockers, tabourettes, pedestals, and especially notable is the solid mahogany parlor Morris chair, upholstered with heavy velour cushions.

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5-lb roll Humbolt Creamery Butter	$1.35	3 cans Good Salmon	25c
2 doz Fresh Ranch Eggs	45c	3 cans Good Oysters	25c
3 cans Tomatoes	25c	6 cans American Sardines	25c
3 cans Corn	25c	6 cans Deviled Ham	25c

McCall's Patterns and Fashion Sheets.

Coulter Dry Goods Co.

Coulter's is as much a men's store as it is a depot for the distribution of women's wearables. We want you to remember that, Ready today.

25 cents

Men's Neckwear—50 cent Styles.

The surplus stock of several of the leading neckwear manufacturers in the East were drawn upon to make this exceptional offering possible. To dispose quickly of materials left on hand after the season's orders had been filled, these manufacturers were willing to make up all the small pieces and short lengths of silks at a figure which permits us to offer them to you

At Half Below Regular Value.

The assortment comprises narrow and wide four-in-hands, tecks, imperials, band and shield bows and club ties; same patterns, same colorings and same silks as you see sold all over town at half a dollar, the only difference being that the backs and inside linings may not be quite as fine as in the best 50c ties. All at a quarter.

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Strong Values On Sale Today.

Opportunity to drape the windows of every room in the house with suitable hangings, at a saving of nearly one-half the regular cost, comes to housekeepers with this offering of lace curtains. The varieties told of below are specially desirable—in kind, in quality and in pattern. Note the extraordinary reductions:

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$5.00 Brussels Curtains at $3.00 pair
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$7.50 Brussels Curtains at $4.75 pair
$8.50 Brussels Curtains at $4.95 pair
$10.00 Brussels Curtains at $5.75 pair

There are not enough of the $1.15 Smyrna Rugs left to say very much about—only a handful now. Good size, both ends fringed; beautiful, bright, warm colorings; designs that many stores will sell during the rest of the year at $1.50 to $1.75, but Coulter prefers to sell them now at $1.15.

Only $1.50

For Excellent Crochet Bedspreads.

These are the output of one of the best manufacturers of bedspreads in the United States. Splendid Crochet white spreads, in Marseilles patterns, heavy quality, full 11-quarter size, at $1.50. It's an offering that should deeply interest all practical women with homes to keep well equipped.

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Real Irish Dimities at 25c.

As fast as one line goes out another comes in, and so we have sold already more fine wash goods than the record for two weeks later showed in any former season. Stocks are full and complete—priced for easy buying. We never remember to have shown so varied a line of genuine Belfast dimities—and at 25c the yard. Imagine any design or coloring your fancy can picture, and come here expecting to find it.

25 cents

For Women's Pretty Lace Hose.

They're of finest sea island cotton, French lisle finish, in black, new blue and cardinal; beautiful lace stripe, open effects, nicely finished, double toes and high spliced heels. Knowing how the public appreciates Coulter hosiery values, we don't expect to see this lot last more than a day after you've heard the news.

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WHY HOLLOWAY LEFT HEMET.

High School Principal Out of a Job.

Free Love Proclivities His Undoing.

People Wouldn't Tolerate His Peculiar Matrimonial Arrangements.

From Hemet, Riverside county, comes a strange story of social distemper and matrimonial incongruity. The principal in the peculiar affair is Prof. W. V. Holloway. He was also principal of the Hemet High School, but is now an educator out of a job.

Holloway was one of the bright and shining lights in the Socialist convention in Los Angeles last fall. His unconventional social tenets have proved his undoing, and he has been forced to leave his happy home in Hemet, and is now supposed to be in Los Angeles hunting for some sort of a job whereby he may support himself and children and the wife he attempted to discard so that he might marry another woman.

The strange part of the story is that the wife, according to report, aided and abetted him in his purpose to annex another spouse, and expected to remain a member of his family. The moral obliquity of the man is also shown by the fact that he expected to be able to renounce the first wife, with her consent, marry another one and live with the two women under one roof, and still remain the instructor of the Hemet youth.

But the people of the earthquake town would not stand for such an arrangement, and the professor, according to report, was forced to hie himself hence rather hurriedly.

The Riverside Enterprise, which has been looking into the peculiar case, gives the following account of the strange affair:

Holloway and his wife have for a month or more had an understanding to separate, he to marry Bessie Rogers, and the three live happily together under one roof.

The denouement occurred when other people were taken into the confidence of the main contracting parties to the singular deal. Last Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Holloway went to see S. F. Leffingwell, clerk of the board of school trustees, and made him their confidant, remarking that they supposed it would make no difference in Mr. Holloway retaining the position of principal of the High School just the same. This was a poser to Mr. Leffingwell, and he hinted that he thought a resignation would be the proper thing until the whole board could confer about the matter. Upon this Mr. Holloway resigned his position as principal of the Hemet High School, and he and his wife returned home. When the board assembled Monday morning, they refused to accept the resignation, but dismissed him peremptorily.

Mr. Rogers, the father of Bessie, resides down the railroad track about half a mile out of Hemet, and on Sunday, it having come to his ears that his daughter expected to become Mrs. Holloway as soon as divorce papers were issued, hitched up his horse, finding that Bessie was not at home, and started in search of his daughter. He found her at the house of the Holloways, with a number of other girls, having a Sunday-school. His appearance created a sensation, as he dragged his daughter out of the house, with words directed to Mr. Holloway that were not found in the Sunday-school lesson. Miss Rogers was taken home and locked up, and is still under strict surveillance.

Mr. Holloway followed to the Rogers residence, and tried to explain matters, but the more he explained the higher the wrath of Mr. and Mrs. Rogers rose, and only the sudden departure of Holloway prevented the active use of a shotgun by the enraged parents. Then Mrs. Holloway went as a peacemaker to the Rogers's house and tried to patch up matters, but failed in her kind efforts, and as some threats had been made against Mr. Holloway if he remained in Hemet, he thought best to take the early train Monday for Los Angeles. His wife expects to follow as soon as he finds a position where he can support his family. Whether Bessie will follow is not known, but as his train passed her home she waved him a fond "adieu till we meet again" from the window of her prison.

It is expected that the teacher's certificate held by Holloway will be revoked and he will be unable to longer follow his vocation in this State, and his dismissal and its cause will probably folow him wherever he may go, ruining all chances of his securing a position in any school.

Miss Rogers stands very high in Hemet society, and not a breath of suspicion of any criminal wrong-doing has attached to her. It is thought by some to be a case of hypnotism—some call it platonic love, other plutonic—while it is possible that the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Holloway being first cousins may account for her acquiescence in the proposed arrangement.

Mrs. Holloway is a particularly bright, prepossessing, well educated lady, and her own marriage five years ago was an elopement from Bryn Mawr College, Pennsylvania, just before she was about to graduate, Mr. Holloway, then being a student in a Connecticut college. Mrs. Holloway is a daughter of Isaac N. Vail, a Quaker residing at Pasadena, a scientist, formerly of Elsinore. He was very much incensed at the elopement of his daughter, but they came to Elsinore and he forgave them and secured a position for Mr. Holloway to teach the Elsinore school for a year. He then secured the grammar grade school at Hemet, and finally took the position of principal of the Hemet High School, and was teaching his second year when his curious matrimonial views cost him his job.

WRETCH'S EASY ESCAPE.

Man Who Tried to Assault Woman With Gun Turned Loose on Ten Dollars Bail.

W. J. Goodwin, who claims to have been an officer in the volunteer army in Porto Rico, and to have held important positions under military rule there, was to have appeared in the Police Court yesterday for trial for drunkenness. He failed to appear and today the $10 which he had deposited as bail will be forfeited.

Although charged simply with being drunk, there is behind it a story of a debauch which in some States would constitute a felony. With C. D. Robbins he was making "the rounds" Wednesday afternoon, and became very drunk. Stationing himself on the track at First and Main streets he dared a motorman to run his car against him. Patrolman Long dragged him off. Goodwin begged to be released, saying that he had a room in the McDonald Block on North Main street and would go there and sleep. The proprietress of that house had reported to the police that a man had tried to assault her sister with a gun the night before, and Goodwin was taken there to see whether she could identify him. She did so and begged the officer to take him away. Goodwin and his friend were locked up.

The woman's story is that Goodwin came to her room drunk and made improper proposals, but she locked herself in her room to escape him. Later her sister, a girl of 18, passed through the hall and Goodwin suddenly appeared, almost naked, and with a revolver, and pursued the girl. Another man covered Goodwin with his pistol and compelled him to return to his room. All this would have come out had he been tried, and the arresting officer sent him to the Police Station with the request that he be held without bail until yesterday. Several persons tried to secure his release, and finally Capt. Hensley ordered that he be let go on $10 bail, which was put up by a hack driver.

While Goodwin was in jail a saloon man named Neff called at his room and took all of his personal effects, saying that he had been directed to move them to the Angelus. He showed an order from Goodwin. The woman who was assaulted declines to swear to a complaint because of the undesirable notoriety, but she would have appeared against him had the case been prosecuted as it should.

DARING ROBBERY AT SAN DIEGO.

EXCITING EPISODE IN PUBLIC BATH-HOUSE.

Robber in Attempting to Escape Stabs Wife of Proprietor and Is Shot in Leg by Husband — Many Burglaries in Southern City.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 20.—George Hinckley, an ex-soldier of the Spanish-American war, this afternoon entered the Los Banos Bath-house and began holding up men right and left for money, brandishing a rusty pair of scissors by way of inducement. He had fleeced one of the members of the Elford Theater Company of his money and jewelry, when Mr. Nevius, proprietor of the place, interfered. Hinckley demanded that Nevius "cough up," and he did so, passing over his money and watch and chain.

Nevius then caught the man unawares and pushed him down the stairs. Meeting Mrs. Nevius, who was on her way to her husband with a gun, Hinckley made a thrust at her, striking her in the left breast.

Hinckley then ran out of the bath-house. Nevius followed, and after a hot chase of several blocks, brought the fellow down with a shot in the leg.

Los Banos is the largest bathhouse in the city, and was filled with people when the affair took place.

Hinckley is in custody on the charge of assault with murderous intent. The affair created the greatest excitement. There are doubts as to his sanity. His friends give him an excellent character, and insist that he must have been insane or drunk when he attempted his foolhardy hold-up. His wound in the leg is not a serious affair, and the knife wound, which the robber gave Mrs. Nevius is not regarded as dangerous.

SEIBERT INQUEST.

The Coroner's jury today returned a verdict that Cicero Seibert's death was due to a clot of blood in the artery leading to the brain. At the inquest the supposed daughter testified that her true name is Lillian Weaver, her home being in St. Louis, from which city she had accompanied Seibert, at his earnest request, as traveling companion and nurse. She said Seibert was a warm friend of her father, and since the death of her father, twenty years ago, she had called him pa, and she had passed as his daughter for the purpose of this trip only. The young lady professed to be greatly attached to the old gentleman, shedding many tears while giving the jurors her story.

MANY BURGLARIES.

Burglaries have been occurring with alarming frequency in this city lately, and the operators seem to prefer dental offices as the scene of their thieving. Last night the office of Dr. Reed was entered and a quantity of gold plate and crown work was taken.

SAN DIEGO BREVITIES.

Mrs. Anna Brown of Los Angeles, who owns other valuable property here, has purchased lots on the business portion of Fifth street, on which is located the saloon of John R. Seifert, for $15,000, and the report is that she will build a three-story business block, with a Fifth-street frontage of twenty-five feet. The property was owned by W. B. Norris.

M. A. Luce, who will in a few weeks be succeeded as postmaster of San Diego by Naylor Newkirk, has denied that he is a condidate for the Republican nomination for Congress from the Eighth District. It is stated, however, that he may get into the race later.

After holding an inquest over the remains of Mrs. Duncan Marshall, who was found dead in the home of a neighbor yesterday morning, the Coroner's jury returned a verdict of death by neuralgia of the heart.

BRYANT'S MISSION.

Emissary of State Board of Health Here From San Jose to Investigate Contagious Diseases.

Health Officer Powers was somewhat exercised yesterday over the appearance of D. H. Bryant of San José, who styles himself an agent of the State Board of Health. On Wednesday Bryant visited the City Hall and asked the Health Officer for a written statement of the number of tubercular cases in the city since the first of the year, the percentage of deaths and the prevalence of smallpox. He did not produce credentials, but stated that he had heard that smallpox was allowed to run riot in this city and he had just called to see about it.

Dr. Powers made an appointment to meet Bryant yesterday at 2 o'clock, but he failed to put in an appearance. The health authorities were inclined to regard him as the representative of some yellow journal desirous of taking a whack at Southern California.

A telegram of inquiry last night elicited the reply from San José that Bryant is a capitalist and politician of the Garden City, employed by the State Board of Health, though the nature of his duties is not known there. It was stated, however, that whatever Bryant says can be relied upon.

WATSON IS RENOMINATED.

RICHMOND (Ind.) Feb. 20.—At the Sixth Indiana District Republican Congressional Convention held today at Connersville. James F. Watson received unanimous renomination.

CONSULTATION GAME AGAINST RUSSIA.

OPEN DOOR AND NO SPECIAL PRIVILEGES THE STAKE.

Hay's Letter to Czar's Government Came at Right Time to Give Emphasis to the Treaty Entered into by Japan and England.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Commenting on the letter sent by Secretary Hay to Russia, the Washington correspondent of the Tribune says:

"It has been understood here from the outset that the terms of the British-Japanese agreement to preserve the integrity of China were submitted in advance to President Roosevelt and Secretary Hay and approved by them.

"Following out the traditional policy, however, of avoiding entangling alliances, the United States positively declined to become a party to any actual agreement concerning China.

"When Lord Cranborne, in the British Parliament last week declared there was no doubt the British-Japanese agreement would command the full approval of the United States, he spoke by authority.

"The agreement between Great Britain and Japan was dated January 30. There is, therefore, deep significance that on February 1, two days after the treaty was signed, this country sent to Russia a note practically adopting the principle of the treaty as the policy of the United States. The agreement between Great Britain and Japan is largely a military one, and provides for the joint use of forces in case of hostilities.

"Secretary Hay's letter, of course, could not go to that extent, but the substance of it as telegraphed leaves no doubt that Russia has been notified of the fact in strong diplomatic language, that the moral support of the United States is with Great Britain and Japan, and that this country will necessarily resent any failure on the part of Russia to redeem the pledge it made to President McKinley that the open door policy should be applied to Manchuria.

"Apparently Secretary Hay waited until after the British-Japanese treaty was made public, so that the note of the United States might have all the weight of an indorsement of that treaty.

"It is believed here also that Germany wrote a similar note to Russia, and that, while the Emperor was unwilling to participate in an alliance with England and Japan, he was not averse to letting the Czar know that Germany's commercial interests in the Orient would be jealously guarded.

"It is believed, in fact, that Germany and the United States will be found to be occupying the same position, and thus the result will be that Russia and France will be arrayed on one side and Great Britain, Germany, Japan and the United States on the other."

HAY'S DISPATCH.

"THUNDERER" DISCUSSES IT.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 21.—[By Atlantic Cable.] In an editorial on Anglo-Japanese relations, the Times says that the protest which Secretary Hay has sent to the Russian and Chinese governments is proof, if proof were needed, that the considerations which have given rise to the Anglo-Japanese agreement are not an outcome of captious jealousy of Russia on the part of England and Japan.

"Washington has invariably maintained the most friendly relations with Russia," continues the Times, "yet Secretary Hay formulates in the plainest and most trenchant terms the very objections to the Russian projects in Manchuria which have been entertained and urged here. Secretary Hay's dispatch shows how well founded was the expectation of Lord Cranborne, the Under-Secretary of Foreign Affairs, that the Anglo-Japanese agreement would command the full approval of the Washington government.

"This declaration of the policy and views of the United States government ought to help clear away much of the nonsense which has been talked about the Anglo-Japanese agreement."

The Times' editorial concludes by highly complimenting Lord Rosebery as the originator of a far-seeing policy, and the understanding with Japan, and says: "It was Lord Rosebery who sowed the seeds of which Lord Lansdowne has gathered the harvest for the empire."

RUSSIA'S GOOD FAITH.

ENGLAND DOES NOT DOUBT IT.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 20.—In the House of Commons today the Under Secretary for the Foreign Office, Lord Cranborne, said in reply to a question by Henry Norman, Liberal, that His Majesty's government did not doubt the good faith of Russia's promise to restore the administration of the customs at Niu Chwang to the Chinese so soon as circumstances permitted this to be done. Lord Cranborne declined to be drawn into an announcement of the steps the government might now take under the Anglo-Japanese treaty to effect such restoration.

WANT JAPANESE EXCLUDED.

DENVER (Colo.) Feb. 20.—The Senate today adopted the joint resolutions which had been previously adopted by the House, declaring that the interests of Colorado workingmen all seriously jeopardized by the employment of Japanese at the coal mines at Huerfano county, and that "it is the sense of the Thirteenth General Assembly that the Congress of the United States should take steps to exclude from this country all this class of Asiatic labor."

GERMANY AND RATS.

BERLIN, Feb. 20.—The destruction of rats throughout the empire, so far as this is practicable, is under consideration by the Imperial Health Department. The object of the Health Department is to mitigate the danger of contagious diseases.

"The Académie de Médecine of France Has Placed *Apollinaris* (THE QUEEN OF TABLE WATERS) At the Head of All the Waters Examined for Purity and Freedom from Disease Germs."

SNAKES ENRAGED.

Deeply Resent Invasion of Indian Territory by Whites and Threaten to Burn the Towns.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

HOLDENVILLE (I. T.) Feb. 20.—About twenty armed Snake Indians threatened to burn Holdenville Wednesday, and Marshal Knight placed a large number of deputies on guard to protect the city. No trouble occurred.

It has been known for some time that the Snakes are incensed at the springing up of new towns all over the Creek Nation, and it is feared that serious trouble will be the outcome.

Mounds and Beggs, new towns along the line of the 'Frisco, were threatened also, but they were well guarded, and an attack was not made.

The Snake Indians seem to be determined not to give up their country without strenuous resistance. United States Marshal Bennett of Muskogee has ordered the arrest of all of them found armed.

SPORTY BANK CLERK.

Lost Fifty Thousand Dollars Throwing Craps and Did not Know He Was Playing Against Magnets.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

VINCENNES (Ind.) Feb. 20.—E. W. Roberts, an electrician, created a sensation in the suit against Matthew Kelly and Dallas Taylor, charged with causing the downfall of Richard Davis, former bank cashier, by unfair gambling schemes. He testified that at the direction of Kelly he placed a new battery in the saloon, and adjusted two saucer magnets under the bar where it is alleged that Davis lost $50,000 throwing craps. The electrical work was done at midnight, and the witness was warned by Kelly not to mention it.

FRESH VOLCANO IN SHAMAKA.

LONDON, Feb. 21.—Cabling from St. Petersburg, the correspondent of the Daily Mail says the seismic disturbances at Shamaka have recommenced, and that a fresh volcano began to erupt vigorously last Wednesday. The correspondent adds that the number killed in the Shamaka district is now estimated at 5000.

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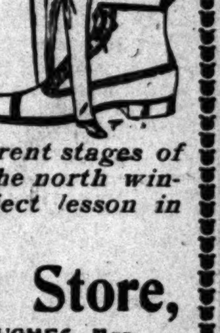

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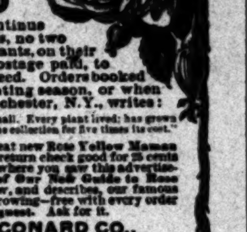

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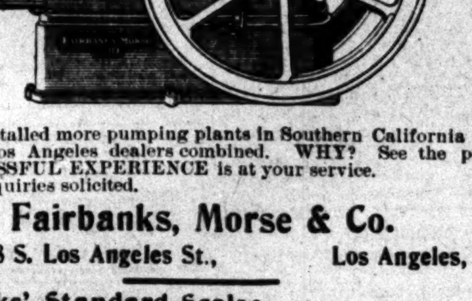

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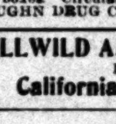

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LITTLE GIRL PLAYS FOR JOSEF HOFMANN.

JOSEF HOFMANN has a kind heart. He played on Wednesday evening and traveled all night, arriving at the Van Nuys at 1 p.m. yesterday, tired and sleepy. Nevertheless he put off his greatly-needed rest indefinitely to hear little Gertrude Cohen play.

Gertrude is not entirely a stranger to the Los Angeles public, having been an interesting piano recital last spring. She has been for three years a pupil of Waldo F. Chase. Herr Hofmann's interest was aroused by the child's few bars the child played, and he watched her earnestly. When she had finished he said "Sehr gut."

Encouraged by the emphatic "very good" the child beamed at the genius with ingenuous delight.

"I'm very much interested," said Hofmann. "You have talent—extraordinary talent, I should say. That is a matter of plans, but never mind, I would like to hear you play again." So Gertrude played a Chopin etude.

While she played Hofmann kept his eyes fixed upon an envelope he held, looking for one or two glances—keen, searching, critical glances at the young performer.

"Yes," he said, when she had finished, "the child has great talent, and she plays easily with much refinement and interest. Here is really not the playing of a child, but of a woman. Her figures are good. Her playing is not very easy. I like it. I cannot judge for the future because no one can truly do that. One's future depends on many things besides talent. There are habits, climate, even food and these to be considered. All have great influence on the person and therefore the career. I can only say what I have seen, and that is talent of a very high order—unusual talent. Her playing is also natural. It is not characterized by habits—mannerisms—of any kind. The wrists are not held so; and the shoulders thus, as they are in some players who play only as they have been taught and without individuality. You see what I mean? Yes."

Here a little book was timidly tendered to the young maestro, and there was a whispered suggestion for an autograph. "Willingly." And the autograph was written.

Then, with more kind words, he said adieu to the little player. After she had gone he said to The Times' musical critic: "That was really a pleasure for me. She shows such true gifts. Usually one expects to hear little, and hears less, you understand. There are many children of ordinary talent, whose friends mistake them for wonders. But with this one I have heard much more than I expected. She is natural, too. That is the great thing in art."

"You mean practically that, in art, as in life, the only way to be truly great is to be sincere?"

"Exactly. Simplicity, naturalness, sincerity, they are all the same thing. They mean truth. In life—the ordinary social life—we have to do many little things which are perhaps more polite than sincere. Then since we cannot be entirely sincere, completely ourselves, in daily life, it would be a shame not to be so in our art. Art, whether it be music, painting, writing or whatever it may be, is the one great expression of our real—our enduring—selves. Therefore if it be not sincere then it is indeed worthless. It is more than worthless, it is shameful."

Josef Hofmann is of medium height and strongly but not heavily built. He is by no means so thickly set as Rosenthal. Yet in some way he reminds one of that strenuous player. The suggestion is in the head and shoulders, which have the same look of lion-like strength. Hofmann's head and face tell of an intellectual force the limits of which would be difficultly found. If he were not a great pianist, he would be great in some other way. His eyes and mouth, and the contour of his face likewise, give evidence of an emotional power of which the man is as yet unconscious. It is a power asleep. When it awakes then we shall have in Josef Hofmann an artist who shall be great indeed.

THE OIL INDUSTRY.

EXPENSIVE PLANT FOR LOCAL PUMPING.

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Likely Advised to Pave—Old Deeds at Ventura—Peculiar Exchange Sales—Midway's Gusser—Kern River Refinery to Be Built at Once.

A first-class compressed-air pumping plant will soon be in operation on the property of the La Brea Rancho Oil and Asphalt Company, in the northwestern extension of the local field. The company is pumping eight wells with a small compressed air plant, the only one of its kind in the field. It has proven so satisfactory that an order was recently placed for a plant to cost about $50,000.

The La Brea company now has fourteen wells, and a contract has been let for twelve more. Others will be drilled from time to time, as it will be possible to operate at least forty wells with the present plant.

The land of that section is so heavy that it cannot be brought to the surface in the ordinary way of pumping and that it is so rich in asphalt proves that it is in great demand by refiners. The Hercules Refining Company has contracted for nearly all the company's output, and has agreed to take all the company can produce.

TIME TO PAVE.

"Now is the time for Los Angeles to pave its streets," was the remark of an oil man yesterday, "as probably never again will local asphalt be so cheap as it is today. The oil market is overstocked with prices at bedrock. The asphalt market is in no better shape. Although there is more than a fair demand for the refined product, within the last ten days, local asphalt has been sold f. o. b. Los Angeles as low as $10 a ton. With a good system of paving material at $10 a ton, even $12, the cost of paving would be considerably less than in the past." The refiners interviewed yesterday report the above statement as to the satisfactory condition of the market express confidence that before two weeks the market will right and will advance materially.

OLD DEEDS DUG UP.

Old deeds have been filed with the county at Ventura this week which tell some of the ancient history of the oil and asphaltum industry of that county. One of the deeds was from Alfred Haskell, conveying a half interest in all the oil, asphaltum and gas, with the right of entry, on 10 acres of the Rancho Santa Paula Cañon, where several wells have been drilled that are paying good interest on the investment. Other sections of the ranch show oil indications and may be developed.

SUMMERLAND WATER FRONT.

A suit involving title to nearly all of the water front at Summerland was filed in the Superior Court at Santa Barbara. The Robinson Oil Company and eight other individuals and firms appear as plaintiffs, and Mrs. Agnes Beck and husband, G. F. Beck, are the principal defendants. Incidentally, the history of a previous fraudulent transaction in which the name of the late H. Dibblee Thomas is involved, is made in the complaint. The property involved is submerged oil land.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

Producers quote first-class fuel at from 80 to 90 cents a barrel at the wells. Large sales have been made at or near the latter price a barrel. Heavy oil, that under 20 degrees gravity, finds a market at from 65 to 80 cents.

GREAT GASSER.

LOSS OF TOOLS WENT FLYING.

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.

BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] An investigation of the Richmond Company's gas well in the Midway district, proves that the reports regarding it were not exaggerated. It is a fact beyond a doubt that when the formation at 1100 feet was reached, two strings of tools were blown out of the hole and into the air high as the crown block of the derrick. This was a week ago, and the flow has not diminished since the substance which followed immediately upon the puncturing of the gas-bearing stratum.

It is estimated that as much gas is now arising from the well as would be consumed in a town the size of Bakersfield if all the heating and lighting were accomplished by that means. However, there is no one here who is at all acquainted with gas fields, who does not think that the stream will soon exhaust itself, the formations not being favorable for a continuous supply. The gas comes from a shale bed.

The company will lead the gas to a distance from the rig for the sake of safety, and will leave the well alone until it has either delivered itself of all its gas, or has demonstrated that the supply is great enough to justify piping to Bakersfield.

NEW REFINERY.

PILING UP PRODUCT.

In the Kern River field a refinery is to be built at once on the property of the Vulcan Oil Company. L. W. Goff, president of the company, was at Bakersfield yesterday in the interest of the project. The refinery is to have a capacity of 200 barrels a day. The Golden Rod, Junction and Vulcan Oil companies will supply the product.

On account of the low prices, two or three companies operating in the Fullerton field are storing oil, awaiting an increase in market values.

ON 'CHANGE.

TRIFLING BUSINESS.

In the sales reported to have been made yesterday on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange will be noticed 1000 shares of Reed Crude at 40 cents, buyer thirty days. This should mean a sale at the price named, to be paid for by the buyer in thirty days, but De Putron Gliddon stated yesterday that, on the Los Angeles Exchange, it does not mean a sale.

"It simply means," he said, "that the broker who made the bid is, for a slight consideration, given thirty days in which to hawk the stock on the outside market at an advance on the price bid. If he sells it, he makes a liberal percentage on his investment, and if he doesn't, it simply falls back to the former holder. It is this kind of business that makes the Los Angeles Exchange a stench in the nostrils of honest brokers."

For several days Reed Crude has figured largely in this kind of sales.

The sales reported yesterday are as follows:

	Shares.	Price.
Reed Crude	$00	$ .37½
*Reed Crude	1,000	.40
Northern Con. No. 2	1,000	.42
Total	2,500	$967.50

*Buyer 30 days.

Bids and offers for listed oil stocks were as follows: Alpha, 10 cents asked; Astec, 99 cents bid; Brea Cañon, $2.50 bid; Central, 70 cents bid, 74½ asked; Central Point, $1.05 asked; Columbia, 18 cents bid, 22 asked; Continental, 50 cents asked; Fullerton Consolidated, 21 cents bid; Fullerton Oil, 6 cents bid, 7 asked; Globe, 20 cents asked; Home of Fresno, $4.25 asked; Kern Oil, $5.40 bid; Pacific Slope, 2 cents asked; Senator, 65 cents bid; Southern Consolidated, 1 cent bid, 3½ asked; Uncle Sam, 2 cents asked; Union, $58 bid, $60 asked; United Petroleum, $99 bid, $105 asked; Western Union, $100 asked; Westlake, 5¼ cents bid; Whittier Consolidated, 2 cents bid, 4 asked; Wilson, 4½ cents bid, 9 asked.

For unlisted oil stocks, bids and offers closed as follows: Northern Consolidated No. 1, 1¼ cents asked; Hercules, 5⅝ cents bid, 11 asked; Piru, 10 cents asked; New Century, 2¼ cents asked; Pennsylvania, 10 cents asked; Southern California Oil and Fuel, 30 cents asked; Sunset Consolidated, 3 cents asked; Sunset King, 1 cent bid; Russian, 6½ cents asked; Menges, 92 cents asked; Hub, 80 cents asked; Mexican Petroleum, 20 cents bid, 22½ asked; Grand Central Oil Development, 15 cents bid; Denver-Fillmore, 1 cent bid; Ventura Consolidated, 20 cents asked; Potomac, 1 cent bid; Union Petroleum, 4 cents asked; Blinn, 2 cents bid; Home (Whittier,) $2.25 asked; Eureka Crude, 15 cents asked.

Following are the bids and offers on unlisted mining stocks: Arizona Giant, 2 cents bid, 7½ asked; Butte Lode, $25 bid, $32 asked; Bisbee West, 15 cents asked; South Bisbee Copper, 15 cents asked; Arizona and Arkansas Copper, Zinc and Lead, 1 cent bid, 4½ asked; Venture Hill, 1 cent bid, 2¼ asked; Verde King, 25 cents bid; Red Cloud, 20 cents asked; Loma Verde, 15 cents bid, 27 asked; Wedge, 1¼ cents asked; Bisbee Belle, 7 cents asked; Greene Consolidated, $31 bid, $38 asked; Green Mountain, 15 cents asked; Exposed Treasure, 26 cents bid, 46 asked; Rand Mountain, ¼ cent asked; Lincoln Gold Mining, 21 cents asked.

For bank and miscellaneous stocks the closing bids and offers were as follows: Bank of Commerce, $102 bid; Broadway Bank and Trust, $120 bid; California, $145 bid, $160 asked; Central, $130 bid; Citizens, $135 bid; Columbia Savings Bank (50 per cent. paid up,) $54 bid; Farmers' and Merchants', $350 bid; First National, $234 bid; German-American, $155 bid; Los Angeles National, $160 bid, $167 asked; Main Street Savings (50 per cent. paid up,) $50 bid; Merchants' National, $180 bid, $200 asked; National Bank of California, $130 bid, $137 asked; Security Savings Bank (50 per cent. paid up,) $87.50 bid; Security Loan and Trust (50 per cent. paid up,) $30 bid; Southern California Savings, $135 bid; Southwestern National, $105 bid; State Bank and Trust, $97 bid; Union Bank of Savings, $150 bid; First National, Pasadena, $183 bid; San Gabriel Valley, Pasadena, $150 bid; Pasadena National, $115 bid; Edison Electric, $75 bid; Los Angeles Brewery, $103 bid, $106 asked; Title Guaranty and Trust, Pref., $120 bid; Title Insurance and Trust, Pref., $104 bid; Title Insurance and Trust, Com., $98 bid; Pacific Electrical Company, $57 asked; Randsburg Water Company, $30 bid, $70 asked.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—At the morning session of the Producers' Oil Exchange, the following sales were made: California Standard, .18; Independent, .08; Junction, .20; Monarch, .19; Monarch, .20; Petroleum, .07; No. 33, $7.50; Reed, .37; Oil City, .20; Home Oil, $3.80.

It Concerns All Republicans.

Every Republican votes for French Colony Brandy.

It is
Lydia E. Pinkham's
Vegetable Compound
that is curing women.

Mrs. Watson tells all suffering women how she was cured and advises them to follow her example.

Here is her first letter to Mrs. Pinkham:

(PUBLISHED BY PERMISSION.)

"March 15, 1899.

"To MRS. PINKHAM, LYNN, MASS.:

"DEAR MADAM:—I am suffering from inflammation of the ovaries and womb, and have been for eighteen months. I have a continual pain and soreness in my back and side. I am only free from pain when lying down or sitting in an easy chair. When I stand I suffer with severe pain in my side and back. I believe my troubles were caused by over-work and lifting some years ago.

"Life is a drag to me, and I sometimes feel like giving up ever being a well woman; have become careless and unconcerned about everything. I am in bed now. I have had several doctors, but they did me but little good.

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been recommended to me by a friend, and I have made up my mind to give it fair trial.

"I write this letter with the hope of hearing from you in regard to my case"—MRS. S. J. WATSON, Hampton, Va.

Mrs. Pinkham's advice was promptly received by Mrs. Watson and a few months later she writes as follows:

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"November 27, 1899.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I feel it my duty to acknowledge to you the benefit that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me.

"I had been suffering with female troubles for some time, could walk but a short distance, had terrible bearing-down pains in lower part of my bowels, backache, and pain in ovary. I used your medicine for four months and was so much better that I could walk three times the distance that I could before.

"I am to-day in better health than I have been for more than two years, and I know it is all due to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"I recommend your advice and medicine to all women who suffer."—MRS. S. J. WATSON, Hampton, Va.

Mrs. Watson's letters prove that Mrs. Pinkham's free advice is always forthcoming on request and that it is a sure guide to health.

These letters are but a drop in the ocean of evidence proving that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound CURES the ills of women.

No other medicine in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement.

No other medicine has such a record of cures of female troubles or such hosts of grateful friends.

Do not be persuaded that any other medicine is just as good. Any dealer who suggests something else has no interest in your case. He is seeking a larger profit.

Follow the record of this medicine and remember that these thousands of cures of women whose letters are constantly printed in this paper were not brought about by "something else," but by

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

$5000 REWARD

Owing to the fact that some skeptical people have from time to time questioned the genuineness of the testimonial letters we are constantly publishing, we have deposited with the National City Bank, Lynn, Mass., $5,000, which will be paid to any person who will show that the above testimonials are not genuine, or were published before obtaining the writer's special permission. LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO., Lynn, Mass.

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Newspaper and Magazine.

THE LOS ANGELES
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THE ISSUE FOR
Sunday, February 23, 1902.
Will contain in the large sheets, all the news of the world that's worth printing, together with pointed, pertinent and intelligent editorial comment, also many special features and departments.

The
Illustrated Magazine
Will contain the following and other
Special Articles:

Asia's Greatest Wonder—
The fight between the ocean and the land at Hangchow, and the great walls built to defend the city. By Frank G. Carpenter.

Negro Home Getting—
America's most famous colored man tells of the progress his race has made in developing homes. By Booker T. Washington.

Official Portrait—
The President's picture as it appears engraved on steel for the government record. By John Elfreth Watkins, Jr.

Turk and Bulgarian—
A native of Bulgaria writes of the conditions in that country. By Stoyan Vasil Tsanoff.

Streeter's "Destric"—
The interesting story of a civil war on the shore of Lake Michigan. By John L. Mathews.

The Neeley Case—
The Times Magazine correspondent at Havana gives a concise but comprehensive review of this famous case. By Frederic J. Haskin.

Old Hacienda Days—
A glance at a unique period in the history of Southern California. By Stanley Raymond.

Across the Border—
Current events and present conditions as they exist in Mexico. By a Special Contributor.

After the Whalers—
All about the crusade against beards in New York City. By a Special Contributor.

Big Johns Hopkins—
A visit to the great university on the eve of its twenty-fifth anniversary. By Mary Bronson Hartt.

Tolstoi at Home—
Dr. Lombroso's impressions of the famous Russian. By P. A. Garstin.

Naval Constructors—
How cadets are to be taught to build battleships. From a Special Correspondent.

The Tale of a Setter—
A chapter in the autobiography of a thoroughbred dog. By T. S. Van Dyke.

The Stars of Spring—
Interesting old beliefs and legends about stars and constellations now visible. By F. W. Reid.

Bronco Pete's "Blue Rave-ope"—A thrilling story of mining and railroad life. By Francis Lynde.

Character Sketch of the Burro—An analysis of the traits of a much-abused beast of burden. By O. B. Barbo.

Art in Death Valley—
The camera, how it operates and what it finds in the desert. By Harry H. Dunn.

Woman and Home—
Summer Millinery—At Strange Tasks—A Dainty Garment—The Bridesmaid Bonbonniere—A Patent Solicitor—Marconi's Mother—College Girl Hazing, etc.

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MELVIN E. STREET, M.D.

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Vernon to Improve.

Residents of Vernon will meet at Akey's Hall, Central and Vernon avenues, tomorrow night, for the purpose of organizing an improvement association.

Spring-street Sale.

P. W. Fuller has sold to Boaz Duncan, through Frank M. Kelsey, 59x135 feet, on the east side of Spring street, north of Seventh, with a small cottage of nominal value, for $26,000.

Gift to Alma Mater.

Assembly Hall of the State Normal School is to be hung with a fine painting of "Canterbury Tales," as a gift from the summer and winter classes of 1902. It is the work of Arthur Sewell.

Willing to Wait.

Charles Morton, a tow-headed youth, yesterday demanded a jury trial in the Police Court, when arraigned on a charge of stealing a harness. Justice Morgan told him he could not have it sooner than March 19, and the accused replied: "Well, Judge, I guess we'll have to wait then." Unable to put up $300 bail, he will stay in jail.

Black Billy's Sweep.

Charles Beard, a black chimney regenerator, who calls himself "Billy the Sweep," was arraigned in Police Court yesterday on a charge of battery, preferred by his wife. Justice Morgan set his trial for March 18, and let him go on his own recognizance meanwhile. Divorce proceedings are pending in the Superior Court.

Bear Flag Insurrection.

M. Lissner addressed Corona Parlor, Native Sons, on the "Bear Flag Insurrection in California," giving the history of the Fremont party, the adoption of its standard, the insurrection and the incidents which led to the conquest proper of California. Tuesday evening, March 4, W. J. Ford will read a paper on "Spanish and American Battles Prior to 1850."

Much Noise, No Damage.

Noise which sounded like a bombardment with artillery startled the residents of East Los Angeles and sections of the city near the river early last evening. For two hours the police tried to locate the explosions, and then discovered that in drilling a well in the Santa Fé Railroad yards dynamite had been used, a permit to do the blasting having been issued by the city authorities.

Military Ball at Armory.

A military exhibition and entertainment will be given at the Armory tonight. Cos. A, C, T and I, Seventh Regiment; Troop D and the Signal Corps, N.G.C., will take part in the programme. The infantrymen will give a guard mount, the cavalrymen will execute saber drill, and the Signal Corps will demonstrate heliograph work. The exhibitions will be followed by a dance and banquet.

Humorist Holt Held.

Arthur Holt, who admitted stealing one wheel "just for a joke," was yesterday held to answer to the Superior Court for grand larceny by Justice Morgan. He was consigned to the County Jail in default of $500 bail. The charge against Holt is taking the bicycle of A. Off last Monday, while drunk, and selling it for $2. He says he was about to redeem the bicycle and return it to its owner, when he was arrested.

Chickens in Court.

Seventeen chickens held the center of the stage literally all of yesterday in Justice Austin's department of the Police Court. William Bell and David Wilson were on trial, charged with stealing the fowls from William Peterson and William Almdale, and late in the evening the jury acquitted Bell and disagreed as to Wilson's guilt. The question was one of identification of the birds, and they were produced and put through their paces, in order that the Jury might see if they conformed to peculiarities of bearing, feet and feathers testified to. It is said Wilson's sanity will be examined into before another trial.

Night's Burglaries.

"Supper thieves" entered four places last night. At the Westlake Hotel one entered a room by a window, while the occupants were at supper, and stole two watches and other small articles of value. George De La Vergne, No. 1294 Orange street, met a man in his hallway. The intruder was pursued several blocks, but escaped. Gabriel A. Oddone, No. 16 South Alameda street, reported to the police that his house was entered last night and a suit of clothes stolen. A room in the Kendrick lodging-house, No. 243½ South Spring street, occupied by two Japanese, was entered and $8.40 taken.

Grocers to Confer.

A meeting of joint committees from the Retail Grocers' Association and the Wholesale Grocers' Association is to be held this afternoon. The possibility of coöperation will be discussed and plans will be formulated for the advancement of the trade. The committee of the retailers will report this evening at an open meeting of the Retail Grocers' Association, at No. 107½ North Main street. A. H. Powers of San Francisco will speak on "Trade Pirates, and How to Circumvent Them." It is expected that Daniel F. Keefe, who represented California at the convention of the National Retail Grocers' Association, will make an interesting report. A general invitation has been extended to the grocery trade to attend.

BREVITIES.

Excursion to Mission San Juan Capistrano, Saturday, February 22. The Landmarks' Club and the Daughters of the American Revolution will leave the Santa Fé La Grande station at 8:45 a.m. and return at 5:50 p.m. Fare for the round trip, $2. You are invited.

PERSONAL.

J. H. O'Reilly, a Bakersfield oil man, is at the Nadeau.

Joseph G. Lee, a Chicago merchant, is a visitor at the Angelus.

F. W. Dohrman, a San Francisco merchant, is at the Van Nuys.

J. G. Burks, a merchant of San Francisco, is a guest at the Ramona.

Dr. M. C. O'Brien, a New York physician, is staying at the Van Nuys.

Dr. E. C. Woodruff and wife of Auburn, N. Y., are at the Westminster.

Fred Southard, a New Yorker, in the army medical service, is here from Alaska.

H. J. Altheimer, a merchant of St. Louis, is spending a few days at the Angelus.

L. Arnaistein, a woolen merchant of San Francisco, is at the Angelus with his wife.

A. D. Butt, a mining man from Blackwell, Okla., is registered at the Ramona.

James A. Heineman, a Chicago capitalist, and Mrs. Heineman are at the Angelus.

Isaac N. Phillips, a lumber merchant of Bloomington, Ill., is at the Westminster with his family.

Postmaster Lewis A. Groff left on the Owl last night for San Francisco for a week's pleasure trip.

W. C. Wittke, who conducts a large merchandise business in New York, is staying at the Angelus.

Charles J. L. Lantry of Lantry & Sons, large railroad contractors of Strong City, Kan., is registered at the Nadeau.

Dr. John A. Clark and wife of San Francisco were among yesterday's arrivals at the Van Nuys.

C. H. Eckerson of Camp Turquoise, Ariz., an owner of turquoise mining property, is at the Ramona.

L. A. Tate, a capitalist of New York, and Mrs. Tate are at the Angelus on a tour of Southern California.

Harry A. Wells of Buffalo, assistant traveling passenger agent of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, is in the city.

E. H. Hengerer, a large dry-goods merchant of Buffalo, is here for the winter, accompanied by Mrs. Hengerer.

Robert W. Hunt and wife of Chicago are at the Angelus. Mr. Hunt is a wealthy property owner in the Windy City.

George P. Gow and B. H. Gow of Scotland, with their families, are quartered at the Angelus. They are touring the world.

M. Isaacs and Mrs. J. J. Fletcher, buyers for the Unique cloak and suit house, have returned from a business trip to New York.

William H. Wanamaker of Philadelphia, brother of ex-Postmaster-General John Wanamaker, arrived at the Angelus yesterday with Mrs. Wanamaker.

James A. Foshay, Superintendent of City Schools, will leave Saturday for Chicago to attend the meeting of the superintendents' department of the National Educational Association.

Harry Rogers of the firm of Rogers & Sons, commission merchants of Buffalo, N. Y., is in the city with his wife. Mrs. Rogers was formerly a Santa Monica girl, and they will spend the winter there.

E. H. McNutt of Buffalo, a manufacturer of school furniture, has arrived in Los Angeles with his wife for the winter. Mr. McNutt was an owner in the Johnstown flood concession at the Pan-American Exposition, which proved to be one of the most successful "shows" of the big fair.

C. E. Rawson, president of an insurance company, with headquarters in Des Moines, Iowa, is at the Rosslyn with his wife. Mrs. Rawson is secretary of the company of which her husband is president, and is said to have the distinction of being the only woman in the country filling such position.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Following were the marriage licenses issued yesterday from the office of the County Clerk:

Rollo H. Smale, aged 24, a native of Indiana and a resident of Lordsburg, and Olive M. Casterline, aged 23, a native of Iowa and a resident of Pomona.

Luciano Arias, aged 52, a native of Mexico, and Graciana Oliveras, aged 32, a native of Mexico; both residents of Los Angeles.

Kyle MacBratney, aged 22, a native of Kansas, and Elvina Louise Lewis, aged 21, a native of Pennsylvania; both residents of Los Angeles.

James T. Greenley, aged 43, a native of Missouri, and Annie Arnold, aged 27, a native of Germany; both residents of Los Angeles.

Philip J. Baum, aged 21, a native of California, and Edna A. A. Barries, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

Wilhelm Habighorst, aged 58, a native of Germany, and Pauline Wilhelm, aged 45, a native of Germany; both residents of St. Louis, Mo.

BIRTH RECORD.

MATTHIESEN—In Pasadena, February 19, to the wife of S. W. Matthiesen, a son.

DEATH RECORD.

JACOBS—Mark Jacobs, beloved husband of Mary Jacobs, aged 84 years 10 months.

The Members of Columbia Circle.

Ladies of G.A.R. are requested to meet at No. 139 North Avenue Eighteen at 2:30 o'clock sharp, to attend the funeral of their deceased sister, Louise Shuster.

EVA G. BOOTH, Secretary.

Los Angeles Transfer Co.

Will check baggage at your residence to any point. Office, 457 S. Spring. Tel. M. 49 or 249.

SOUTH GATE LODGE, No. 220, F. & A. M., will confer the second degree this (Friday) evening.

F. H. WHITE, Secretary.

Orr & Hines Co.,

Funeral directors. Lady undertaker takes charge of all ladies and children. Tel. Main 6. No. 647 South Broadway.

Stephens & Winston.

For real estate, loans and insurance. 219-20 California Bank Bldg.

Breese Bros., Lady Undertaker,

Has charge of all ladies and children. Broadway and Sixth street. Tel. Main 242.

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For Hollywood Cemetery

Take Colegrove cars. Office, 210 Laughlin Bldg.

City Transfer Co.

Trunks, inside residence district, 25 cents. 201 S. Main st. Tel. M. 45.

Veterinary Surgeon.

Dr. Fenimore treats all animals. 223 S. Broadway. Tel. Main 242. Res., Tel. South 80.

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Little Savings

No matter how small your purchase, you're sure of a little saving here. Pay car fare if necessary—you don't have to do much buying at this store to more than save it. Then, there's the satisfaction of knowing that quality is right.

Carter's Pills, 15c.
Lyon's Tooth Powder, 15c.
Syrup of Figs, 25c.
Pink Pills, 35c.
Swamp Root, 60c.
Peruna, 60c.
Pierce's Prescription, 50c.
Pierce's Discovery, 50c.

Boswell & Noyes Drug Co., Reliable Prescription Druggists, Third and Broadway.

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Gold-filled Frames and Best Lenses, $3

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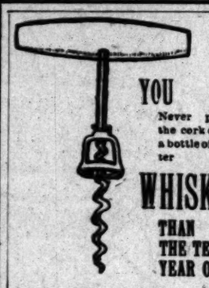

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Beautiful New Wash Waists

The cream of the wash materials are used in the Magnin Waists.

They are made in the prettiest of all the pretty styles and by the waistmakers in our own factory.

We have the strongest line at $1.00 in the city, and the lines at $1.50 and $2.00 are without exception the handsomest waists ever shown for the price. We are our own makers—that's the reason.

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WE have just received a new line of Wrist Bags and Chatelaines, something new and the kind that is appreciated as well as useful. Ladies should call in and secure the proper thing.

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If your reading causes headache it is a sign that your eyes need glasses. Most people want the best—Marshutz glasses.

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Imported Shirtings

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On sale by the yard or pattern.

WAISTS MADE TO ORDER.

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Our stock is made up of fine, soft hair. Every shade is represented from the slightly gray to the silver-white hair, made into coils, switches, Janes or any of the pieces called for in the prevailing modes. We are able to give such a perfect match in all colors of hair that detection is absolutely impossible.

Free lectures on the scalp, by Dr. McLean all this week.

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5 Per Cent. 20 Year GOLD BONDS For sale on installments. A. M. JONES, - - 414 Wilcox Block.

Clearance Sale.

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$4.50, $5.50, $6.50, $7.50.

When one is in a hurry, one adopts ways and means dependent on the degree of his hurry.

We're in a hurry.

Our stock of heavy suitings should be moved.

So, we're holding a Semi-Annual Clearance Sale until Friday, February 28. It's our way and means of hurrying things.

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Any fall and winter suit and overcoat in the store will be closed out at one of the following two sensational prices. In many cases your money is more than doubled.

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$9.55 gives you a pick from hundreds of the handsomest suits and overcoats. Not one worth less than $15. Fully half of these have been bringing $17.50, and they're worth it now, today.

Just the sort of suits you want. Just the finest, snuggest, best of overcoats. Every conceivable style and make.

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$14.55 gives you a suit or overcoat that no tailor in the land could make for less than $25.00. They're worth none less than $20.00, and a great part would sell readily enough at $25.00.

Finest ideas in clothing New York produced, and just because we're pushed for room you'll have your choice at half the actual worth.

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Dress Up That Youngster.

Make him the equal of any lad in school—we'll help.

Clearance Prices.

The very thing he needs may be most cut. We care nothing how little the prices are. It's room we want now. We must have room—plenty of it. These suits must go, these shirts must go, underwear, pants and waists must go. That's why you mothers have this chance to save.

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$5.00 and $5.50 Boys' Suits $3.95.

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Boys' Jersey ribbed, fleece-lined underwear. Comes in good heavy quality, with soft finish on the inside.

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Boys' golf shirts made with cuffs to match. The terial is of the best madras and percale, and come this season's patterns.

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See That You're Here with the Rest, on Time.

75c Underwear 44c.

This comes in medium spring weight merino, in natural gray and camel's hair. They have an extra soft, pleasing finish.

50c Shirts 35c.

Men's pure linen bosom, unlaundered shirts. They are carefully made with felled seams, and strong, reinforced backs and shoulders.

$2.50 Underwear 69c.

This is men's high grade underwear, perfectly shaped, and well made throughout. The lines are broken, so you will find only odd sizes.

12½c Handkerchiefs 6c.

Good quality of Japonette handkerchiefs, with fancy borders. Regular 12½c handkerchiefs.

12½c Socks 6c.

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New Turn in Dr. Spinks's Suit Against Clark & Bryan—Story of Peculiar Oil-stock Deal.

SOMETHING like a happy thought caused Dr. Spinks to "swap horses" yesterday in the midst of his suit against Clark & Bryan, whom he accuses of having cheated him in oil stock.

By an amendment to the complaint, filed yesterday, an entirely new twist was given to the case. Dr. Spinks, who began by asking the court to restore the Grand-avenue property he traded for Westlake oil stock, now asks for the money Clark & Bryan sold the property for to Anna Leach.

The amendment to the complaint pours out fresh accusations upon Clark & Bryan. Dr. Spinks now sets up the facts to be that Clark & Bryan were his agents for the Grand-avenue property, which he bought through them; that he trusted in their good faith, as his exclusive agents, to act for his best interests in its disposal. The inference is that he does not consider they were acting in good faith when they got it from him by an exchange of oil stock, using Gerstle, the San Francisco man as a tool by which to disguise their real part in the affair.

This new feature of the case cropped out suddenly.

E. P. Bryan, the partner of Wesley Clark, was called to the witness stand in the morning. It was by his testimony that the case was steered on the new tack.

He admitted that the firm acted as agents for Spinks, but he denied that they were exclusive agents.

Clark was also recalled and he, too, denied that they were exclusive agents for the property all the time from its purchase by Spinks until the oil-stock trade. He said the property was part of the time in Garland's hands.

NEW TWIST COMES IN.

Just before noon Attorney Waters asked leave to file an amendment to the complaint embodying this feature.

In a cheap, little criminal case, with cheap little lawyers that would have brought on a din and a clatter of a fight, but in this case there are some of the keenest corporation lawyers on the Coast.

They only sat up and begged one another's pardons. Like an "After you, sir," when you are going to call a man out to kill him.

They filled and backed and feinted, and, oh! but they were gingery!

They finally declared an armed truce, while Waters drew up the proposed amendment.

Waters read it, and then squared himself off for trouble.

Anderson came up with a dark hint of demurrers tomorrow.

O'Melveny, in language legal, said the amendment was on the bum, because it changed the character of the suit entirely. He said that Spinks began by demanding recision of the trade and now changed his mind and wanted damages.

Denis, with courtly diplomacy, suggested a compromise. For the purpose of the "Record," which is a sacred kind of a bugaboo in a lawsuit, he would be compelled to make a formal objection, though it was plain to see what Denis and Anguish it caused him. "But," he said, "In a case of this kind, where reputable men are charged with fraud, the mouths of counsel are closed—oh, yes, you may smile, sir, at the statement that mouths of counsel are closed. We are willing to waive all chance of a non-suit because we wish to have our side presented to the public."

SPINKS ON THE STAND.

After a duly impressive pause, Dr. Spinks, the plaintiff, was called to the stand to tell his troubles.

The first part of his testimony was devoted to telling about his relations to Clark & Bryan in regard to the agency.

He explained that he had purchased the Grand-avenue property through Clark & Bryan for $12,000. He said that he had always kept the property in their hands, and even when offers came from other agents, consulted them as to its disposal. On one occasion he had an offer from Garland to trade for a lot on West Eighth street, but consulted Clark & Bryan, and on their advice, turned down Garland.

Only on one occasion did he have an offer which he acted upon without consulting Clark & Bryan. It was Bryan with whom he always talked.

At last the witness got down to the swap for the Westlake oil stocks.

Dr. Spinks's testimony developed that he ought to take his wife's advice; also that he is a bad actor when it comes to looking into peoples' eyes. But he showed himself a hero, too, for he gave his wife credit for trying to keep him out of the oil trade.

HOW THE DEAL HAPPENED.

Waters told witness to tell how the deal first came about.

"Well," began the witness, "one day I saw Tom Hughes ——"

"Wait a minute," snapped his lawyer. "I am not talking about Tom Hughes."

"I think it is best to go into the whole business," protested the doctor, feebly.

"No, sir, no, sir," said his lawyer, while counsel all along the line smiled.

It was evident, however, that the witness would tell about Tom Hughes or bust, and the judge intervened and told him to go ahead and tell the whole sad story.

MRS. SPINKS DUBIOUS.

Dr. Spinks said that Tom Hughes first offered him Westlake stock, but his (Spinks's) wife was suspicious. She said if the stock was such a bonanza, as all that, Hughes would keep the stock himself.

The doctor, however, had heard that Clark and Hughes did not agree, and Hughes wanted to get out of the Westlake company.

"My wife said that she had learned from some of her friends that Westlake was no good. I told her that we wanted property with dividends; that the lot was not bringing us in anything."

He finally had his way and went to see Bryan about it. He asked Bryan how Clark and Hughes got along.

Bryan said, "We always get along. I like Tom, and I think Tom likes me, but 'Wes' and Hughes don't get along."

This was the time that Dr. Spinks put his faith in his eagle eye.

"I asked him how he would like to trade some Westlake stock for my Grand-avenue lot. I looked him right in the eye, and he looked at me pretty sharp."

He repeated Bryan's reply to him: "We are not trading our stock now. In fact, we are buying, not selling. Westlake is a good thing. Our territory is not fully developed. The oil is heavy and it will take a long time in the pumping. It is paying a 2-per-cent. dividend. We were hard up until we got the Westlake."

"He confirmed me that way," said the witness.

Before they parted that day Bryan said he would talk about the offer to Clark. "But," he said, "I don't think we will make the deal."

M'CONNELL GETS IN.

The next day Lee A. McConnell, the go-between who engineered the deal, called on him and said he could get 18,000 shares of stock for the property. McConnell told him that the stock belonged to a San Francisco party. The matter was left hanging.

The next day Spinks, Lee A. McConnell and Tom Hughes went to the Fullerton oil fields.

McConnell and Spinks happened to be left alone for a little while, and Spinks asked, "Have you heard from that San Francisco party yet?"

"Oh, yes," said McConnell, "I forgot. I have a telegram."

"We object," thundered Anderson from the side lines, "to his testifying about that telegram. The telegram itself is the best evidence."

"Oh, that telegram has been in evidence before," said Waters.

Denis took a hand. "On the contrary, it has not. Your own witness, Mr. McConnell said there was no such telegram."

All they would let Spinks say about it was that McConnell told him the San Francisco parties would accept the offer. It was to be 18,000 shares in exchange for the Grand-avenue property.

He said that before he made the swap, he went down and had a talk with Wesley Clark. He asked him about this Gerstle that Clark & Bryan were using as a dummy for the sale of their stock.

SILK-HAT GERSTLE.

Clark told him that Gerstle was a San Francisco millionaire. "If we all had as much money as Gerstle," he said, "we wouldn't have to worry about oil stock."

Spinks said that he asked Clark's advice about making the trade. "You know all about my lot," he said.

Clark advised him to take the offer. "You know," he said, "that we have been trying to sell that lot for a long time. This is the best offer we have ever had. Westlake is all right. Bryan and I were pretty hard up until we got the Westlake. If it had not been for Westlake, Bryan's wife and my wife would have been over the cook pot today."

One of the lawyers began hedging him off, but the court said: "Go ahead, tell every word you can remember."

He said that he told Clark of his wife's objections, and Clark told him that Mrs. Spinks need not worry. While they were still in the office, Dr. Spinks got an inspiration to telephone to his wife about it from there. He told her over the 'phone, but she did not enthuse.

"Well, you know what I think about it," she said. "I suppose you are determined to have your own way."

"Shall I send the deed," he asked, and she said she supposed so.

"Why did you ask Mr. Clark about this?" he was asked.

"I expected Mr. Clark to advise me as I would have advised him—as a friend, honestly, in the matter."

The upshot of it was that the deed to Gerstle was sent out to Mrs. Spinks and she signed it.

In exchange Spinks got a certificate for 18,000 shares of stock, which he deposited.

"Did you get any dividends?"

"The first time, I got dividends of 2 per cent. on the 18,000 shares."

"Any others?"

"After that I got dividends of 1 per cent."

"Any more?"

"I don't remember any more."

Waters started to ask the witness a question about the representations of the agent McConnell, but O'Melveny cut him off.

"Wait a minute, you don't know what I am driving at," said Waters.

"Yes, I know well enough what you are driving at," said O'Melveny.

Denis: I am not a mind reader, but I can see well enough what you are trying to put into the mouth of this witness. It is perfectly evident.

"It is not perfectly evident," said Waters, with a twinkle in his eyes. "It is only perceptible to the astuteness of counsel."

"You flatter me," said Denis, with a bow.

"I intended to."

Then they got back to the witness.

BELIEVED IN CLARK.

"What effect did this statement of Clark's have on you?"

"It convinced me that it was a good deal to make. I had confidence in Mr. Clark, and considered him my friend."

"If Mr. Clark had told you that the oil stock in question belonged to Clark & Bryan, and not to Gerstle, what effect would it have had on your mind?"

This question was ruled out by the court.

"Did you believe what Mr. Clark told you was the truth?"

"I certainly did."

"Did you believe Lee McConnell?"

"I did."

"On what did you rely in making this trade?"

Judge Trask cut in before the witness could answer. "As far as I will let you go is to allow this question: 'State what induced you to make this exchange.' Of course counsel are at liberty to make objection to that question, as though it had not been put by the court."

Denis laughed. "We are not going to object to a question put by the court. Not unless this is our first lawsuit, which it isn't."

Spinks said that the statements of Clark & Bryan that they were buying and not selling oil stock, and their statements of the income of the company, had mainly influenced him.

THINGS WERE DIFFERENT.

He was then asked what first aroused his suspicions.

"I took notice that shortly after this deal, they did not go out of their way to talk to old man Spinks any more."

"Who do you mean?"

"I mean Clark & Bryan. Well, Lee McConnell didn't go out of his way to talk to me after that deal, either. Before that they would all cross the street to speak to me."

He was next asked how he first found out that Clark & Bryan owned the stock, instead of Gerstle, as they represented.

He said he didn't know to a positive certainty until Clark admitted it himself.

"How did you begin to suspect?"

"First, it was their attitude in not speaking to me. I began to reason that they were manipulating the Westlake on a false basis when I heard Clark say in Mr. Brotherton's office that the dividends were being paid out of the treasury stock instead of the proceeds of the oil sales."

He also said that various oil dealers had told him that Gerstle was only a dummy in the deal, and that Clark & Bryan were the real owners of the stock.

He told how O. P. Clark of the abstract company, finally advised him to go to law.

"He told me to get the best lawyer I could find."

Waters hung his head and modestly blushed, but O'Melveny sung out, cheerfully: "All right, go ahead; it was I to whom he first came."

It developed that Spinks had at first consulted O'Melveny, but the latter would not take a case against Wesley Clark.

The direct examination of Dr. Spinks closed with questions about Anna Leach, who bought the property from Clark & Bryan.

He went to see her, but was beautifully sat on when he tried to get her to tell him about the terms upon which she got the property.

She referred him to Clark.

Denis slowly, calmly toasted him on the grill when he got a chance at the witness on cross-examination.

He had only just begun when court adjourned, but it promises to be one of those examinations which make one squirm in his boots, no matter how straight his story.

Under his questions, Spinks said he was first fired with the oil enthusiasm by a sight of Tom Hughes's bank book, in which was an entry of $12,000 he said he had made out of oil.

He admitted that he had gone out to the Westlake Company's fields before the trade on two occasions. Denis asked him about the agency of his lot, and he admitted that although Clark & Bryan were the exclusive agents, that he would not have considered himself bound to pay them a commission if some other agent had sold the property. He said he put a price on the property for other agents, but never would allow other signs to go up.

Adjournment was taken until Monday morning.

REID OF REDLANDS MAKES BAD TANGLE.

WIFE MEETS THE CREDITORS IN LOS ANGELES.

Not His First Failure—Lawyer and Locksmith Knock Guard on Head and Help Themselves—Receiver Appointed. Everything to Be Investigated.

Another step in the effort to straighten out the crookedness of R. M. Reid of Redlands, who dropped out of sight on Saturday, was taken yesterday.

Mrs. E. H. Reid, the alleged absconder's wife, in whose name the dry goods business was carried on at Redlands, came to this city yesterday and had a conference with the Wholesalers' Board of Trade. Mrs. Reid says she had nothing whatever to do with the business, and knew nothing about it, and has no explanation to give for the disappearance of her husband.

It is apparent that Reid was permitted to use his wife's name, owing to a previous bad failure at Decatur, Tex., in order to stand off claims that might appear from that direction.

The store contained a stock valued at $10,000 on Christmas, but there was but $1000 worth of it left when Reid left. Mrs. Reid made an assignment of this stock to the Wholesalers' Board of Trade on Monday, and yesterday a receiver was appointed by Judge Wellborn of the United States District Court, in the person of B. H. Dennis, secretary of the organization, in charge of the assets. Mrs. Reid also filed a petition in bankruptcy, alleging no assets.

There is much feeling on the part of some of the wholesale creditors of Reid, who express dissatisfaction with the sale of the bulk of the stock to the Broadway Department Store on Friday night, together with the sudden disappearance of Reid with the cash.

On Monday the wholesalers put in charge of the store a watchman named Christianson, with orders to keep off marauders, and prevent clerks or others having keys from entering the store.

That night an attorney named Campbell appeared on the scene, accompanied by a locksmith, and demanded admittance. Upon being refused, the locksmith promptly knocked the guard on the head and proceeded to open the store door, whereupon he and Lawyer Campbell entered and removed, as they claimed, $500 worth of goods which had arrived on that day from a firm represented by Campbell. The firm is supposed to be that of L. Dinkenspiel & Son of San Francisco.

The locksmith has been arrested for battery, and Campbell will also be arrested.

It is apparent that the fun in the Reid tangle is just commenced. The receiver will investigate the sale of the goods to the Broadway Store, as well as the abstraction of goods made by Campbell.

Nothing has been heard from Reid, who is supposed to be far away with the cash.

A BOOK FOR ADVERTISERS.

"The Blue Book on Advertising; a Register of Representative Organs and How to Use Them," has just been issued by the J. Walter Thompson Company, New York, Chicago and Boston. As its title indicates, it is a treatise on advertising, and it contains many valuable facts and suggestions gained by forty years' experience in the advertising business on the part of the publishers.

DEFAULTER LACKING BONDS.

HELENA (Mont.) Feb. 20.—Herbert H. Matteson, the self-confessed defaulting cashier of the First National Bank of Great Falls, was brought to Helena and lodged in jail on default of $15,000 bail. Matteson said that he expected to furnish the bond in a day or two.

TRAGEDY TRUE IN REAL LIFE.

Rosenbaum Acts Part Even to Death.

Author and Manager Dies for Love.

Deserted by Object of His Infatuation, Aged Man Ends All.

In the cold truth of real life, and robbed of the glamour lent by painted faces and footlights, the play "Unique" was yesterday brought to its tragic climax—the suicide of its hero.

The final scene of the production was enacted in a squalid rear bedroom in the Coleman lodging-house, No. 439 South Hill street, where the corpse of the chief actor and author of the play, H. G. Rosenbaum, was found early in the morning. By his side were three partly-emptied packages of poison, and in his mouth was a rubber tube leading to the gas jet, showing plainly the manner of his end.

The true story of Rosenbaum's later life is stranger and more tragic than "Unique," the play which was his autobiography. It furnishes a remarkable record of the fulfillment of the unreal and unusual. It seems almost as

H. G. ROSENBAUM.

if he mapped out a spectacular career and then determined to live it out—even unto death by his own hand. The old man's craving for the excitement and notoriety of the theatrical life amounted to a mania. He had considerable money and property, and on meeting a stage-struck woman he formed a combination that wrecked his fortune and his life.

It was over a year ago that Rosenbaum found the focus for his eccentricities, in the person of Edith Edmunds, a large and shapely blonde female with the stage fever. She was the wife of a collector employed by the Directory Company, but she quickly left her husband when she found Rosenbaum had money. The old man became infatuated with her, and indulged her every whim. She spent thousands of dollars on costly raiment and became a familiar fashion plate on Spring street. Recklessly she kept company with different sporting characters, and once was the cause of a fist fight on the street and again a shooting scrape. Champagne dinners were daily and nightly events in this period of the woman's career.

LOVE ON A RANCH.

Putting up the money and having others enjoy his lady love's company did not suit the amorous old man. He owned a fine ranch property near Captstrano, and so decided to remove his partner from the city temptations.

EDITH EDMUNDS.

The pair went to the ranch and lived together some time. Edmunds meanwhile securing a divorce from his faithless spouse. At their country home Rosenbaum did everything in his power to make the woman happy and contented. Luxuries of every description were provided, servants, flowers, horses, dogs and everything money could provide. But the fickle woman became restless, and panted to be an actress.

This led Rosenbaum to write the play which he called "Unique," that being the affectionate nickname he had given the object of his infatuation. The play fully justified the name. It was the story of his experiences with Edith Edmunds, and told of the unrequited love of an old man for a young girl. One scene was laid at the Capistrano farm, the girl falling in love with a handsome farmhand and repelling the offers of wealth by marriage to her benefactor. In this scene the aged hero of the play takes poison, but the girls summons physicians and he is pumped out in full view of the audience, and his life saved.

SUCCESS SPURRED HIM ON.

The piece was produced at the Los Angeles Theater three nights and a matinée to curious crowds, it having been well advertised as a freak performance. Edith Edmunds played the star female part, and the production was considered more as a good joke than anything else by the public. Financially, if not artistically, it was a success, and the hopes of Rosenbaum and his protegé were high. The old man fairly burned up money maintaining his position as theatrical manager, and his star was made the guest of honor at lavish champagne orgies. He believed he had discovered an histrionic wonder, and told his friends that he would star her all over the country in "Unique."

The Capistrano farm and other property was sold to secure funds sufficient to launch the play right, his ready cash having been much depleted by the woman's extravagance. New scenery, costumes and properties were purchased, and after a short tour of Southern California, towns the company went to San Francisco. There, after one production, which was a flat failure, the company disbanded, and Rosenbaum and his partner returned to Los Angeles with drooping feathers.

Then began the downward journey to poverty and despair. With his fortune shattered the woman threatened to leave him, but he had some valuables left and he sacrificed these to furnish her with money so she would stay with him. Finally everything was gone, and in spite of his desperate pleadings she forsook him for another.

DESERTION CRUSHED HIM.

This was the final crushing disappointment, and he became a heart-broken man, without money, friends or a means of subsistence. Gus Hirth, the baker, took pity on him and took him into his home at No. 350½ Clay street. The old man could not be roused from his despondency. He tried in vain to secure the return of $1500 he had given his daughter, who lives at Pinole, when he sold his property. He was unable to even get a reply to his imploring letters, and this still further embittered his view of the world. He wandered aimlessly about the streets, securing the little money he needed by selling the trinkets which were the remnants of his fortune. Often he openly threatened to end his earthly existence. Last Tuesday he exhibited a silver dollar and bottle of chloroform to a prominent attorney who had befriended him, and said: "When that dollar is gone I will take this and end my existence exactly as it is written in the play."

Yesterday he made good the only portion of his drama not depicted in real life. In his play the woman of his heart becomes enamored of a ranch worker, and even this portion has been fulfilled. Edith Edmunds is now the wife of Carl Simmons, the actor who acted the part of her lover in "Unique," and they are living at San Bernardino.

TOOK POISON ENOUGH.

The despondent man was evidently determined that there should be no failure in his portrayal of the suicide, and he aimed to die an unknown. Thursday night he secured a small back room at the Coleman, No. 439 South Hill street, for 25 cents. He told Mrs. Strong, the landlady, that he would take better quarters when his trunks arrived, and asked to be awakened at 8 o'clock in the morning.

Rosenbaum took poison enough to kill a score of men, and then turned on the gas. By his side when found by C. W. Strong in the morning, were bottles and a package indicating that he had taken almost two ounces of chloroform, over an ounce of laudanum and nearly a whole package of morphine tablets. In his mouth was a rubber tube which connected with the open gas jet. This tube he brought to the room himself.

The old man left a short but pathetic explanation and farewell to the world. On the dresser lay an open note printed with pencil in big letters. He had confiscated all papers on his person, and even scratched the name of the druggist from the bottles containing poison, but he neglected to take from his overcoat cards bearing his name and the words "Author and manager of the Unique."

PATHETIC FAREWELL NOTE.

The note read as follows: "Old, sick and poor, I am glad to quit. Make no fuss or ceremony. I prefer not to be known. Good-by. I wish I could be cremated. Well, no matter; plant me as I am."

An inquest was held at the undertaking rooms of Peck & Chase, the jury returning a verdict "that deceased came to his death by inhaling illuminating gas with suicidal intent." No autopsy was performed, as the evidence was considered sufficient without, so it is not known how much of the poison he took.

Rosenbaum was 74 years of age, and was born at Bremerhaven, Germany. He has lived in Southern California for thirty-four years. Thirteen years ago he was divorced from his wife, Mrs. S. J. Smith, a widow, living at No. 425 Fremont avenue. With Mrs. Smith lives another daughter, Miss Pearl Rosenbaum, 17 years old, who is a student in the Commercial High School. She testified that her father visited her the evening before he was found dead, but gave no intimation of his intended self-destruction.

LONG HORSEBACK RIDE.

Arrival in Los Angeles Crosses Arizona on a Buckskin, With Only His Blankets and Canteen.

Henry C. Post of Grand Rapids, Mich., eastern correspondent, arrived in Los Angeles yesterday, after a horseback trip through Arizona. He started twenty-three days ago on his buckskin from a point fifty miles north of Tucson, and traveled alone up the Gila Valley, Phoenix, and the bare deserts of that region, to Los Angeles, via Yuma. He carried nothing but his blankets and a canteen of water, and lived off the country—a lifeless country in many districts—as he went, usually sleeping on the ground. He covered 577 miles on horseback, at an average of thirty-five miles a day. Some days he was forced to make fifty or more miles at a stretch to reach water, which, when found, was often so vile that the horse refused it.

Post made the trip to report upon the condition of the portion of Arizona which he traversed, its irrigation facilities, and the possibilities of improvement. He states that the Gila Valley is being deserted by the discouraged ranchers; also, that the orange orchards about Phoenix and up the Salt River Valley were greatly damaged by the cold waves of December and January, much of the young stock being killed.

As soon as he and his buckskin are rested, Post expects to continue on to the Yosemite Valley.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE—OFFICIAL DOINGS.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

This afternoon at 2 o'clock the City Council will again consider the franchise question. It is stated that the Huntington company is sparring for time, while the Clark forces are willing to concede some changes in the franchise if it is awarded to them.

The public market site may be sold and the city released of a heavy burden.

Charles Manwearing, 19 years old, was sent to State's prison for two years yesterday on a plea of guilty of burglary.

W. Evyllynne Llewyllynne is on trial for "hall burglary."

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AT THE CITY HALL.

BATTLE ROYAL TODAY FOR THE FRANCHISES.

CITY COUNCIL MAY BE DIVIDED HOPELESSLY.

Huntington Forces Said to Be Working to Prevent Positive Action—Standard-gauge Tracks Will Necessitate Two Extra Rails in Main Streets.

Into the franchise balance both the Huntington and Clark forces threw their most weighty arguments yesterday. Concessions of great value are in a measure dependent upon the action of the City Council today. Yesterday was the formative time. Strong pressure was exerted by each of the rival corporations to frame the legislation that is to be enacted at 2 o'clock this afternoon upon the Council floor.

What success has crowned these labors, or who will bear away the prize, cannot be definitely known until then. Will the franchises be awarded to either of the bidders? If so, to which? Will the City Council reconsider the vote by which the original award was made? Will all bids be rejected and proceeding begun anew?

Last night these questions were unanswered. Attorneys for the two corporations profess that they are ignorant of the proposed action of the Council. Neither Powers nor Walker is aware of the intentions of his colleagues, and the other members of the Council asserted last night that no agreement had been reached.

A caucus was held in Allen's office in the Wilcox Block yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. Seven legislators attended, it is stated. Until nearly noon the franchise question was discussed and thrashed over. If any kind of an agreement was reached no one would admit it.

Councilman Allen said that the franchise question was discussed in all its phases, but that no final conclusions were reached at the conference. He said the Councilmen could not agree whether to reject all bids or to award the franchise to one of the bidders, much less determine which company should have the franchise in the event of an award. He said it has not been determined whether a vote to reconsider the award will be taken.

There will be another conference at the City Hall this morning, when the City Attorney's office will be called upon to answer some very ticklish questions. Deputy City Attorney Hewitt has stated that he will advise the Council on all law points provided he is given time to investigate the authorities.

That it is imperative for some action to be taken by the Council either today or tomorrow is evident from the language of the charter, which says that as soon as the Mayor's veto message is presented to the Council it shall reconsider the vote by which the ordinance was adopted. The Council cannot let the matter run over until the next regular meeting, if the charter is followed.

It was intimated yesterday that the Clark-Hook people may agree to relinquish some of the freight privileges in the franchise in case the award is made to them. The $14,000 posted in the Los Angeles National Bank would guarantee the city against any loss. Should this be done some of the Councilmen might experience a change of heart. In this case public sentiment has made itself felt, and some of the City Fathers are very sorry that they agreed to deliver the goods to Huntington.

Another point has been made that will doubtless have great influence with the Council. It has been discovered that if the franchise goes to Huntington a third rail will be laid on the business streets. The streets, especially those comprising what is known as the loop, are already taken up with street car rails to a considerable extent. If a third rail should be laid outside of each of the present tracks, these thoroughfare would be well-nigh ruined. Think of a third rail over the loop which begins at Seventh and Spring streets and runs up Spring to Fourth street, west on Fourth to Broadway, south on Broadway to Seventh and east on Seventh to Spring street.

If Huntington gets the franchise he will lay standard-gauge tracks on all the business streets. The plans for all the interurban lines of the Pacific Electric Railway Company contemplate the construction of standard-gauge tracks, with rails 4 feet 8½ inches apart. The tracks of the Los Angeles Railway Company, the Los Angeles Traction Company, and the California Pacific Railway Company, which is the interurban line of the Clark-Hook company, are laid with rails 3 feet 6 inches apart. At the tracks of the Los Angeles Railway Company on the main streets are too close to admit of placing the third rail on the inside, the running of standard-gauge trucks would necessitate placing a rail on the outside of each track, thus taking up 2 feet 5 inches more of the street and creating a rut between the third rail and the one next to it that would be extremely dangerous to traffic.

There were intimations yesterday that the Clark-Hook company will offer to eliminate this privilege from the franchise, as their plans do not contemplate the construction of standard-gauge tracks, and that they will consent to the modification of the freighting clause provided the Council awards the franchise to them.

If any evidence were needed to show that Huntington had in mind an extensive freight business the third-rail feature would seem to be conclusive. It is asserted by those who know whereof they speak, that the Pacific Electric Railway Company chose the standard gauge, as that would enable traffic relations with the steam roads by which produce could be shipped over both roads without reshipment. Evidently there was a very long-headed scheme concealed in the franchise, which came so near being railroaded through. Mayor Snyder's veto has given the Council an opportunity, but whether the City Fathers will avail themselves of it or not, remains to be seen.

It is understood that the efforts of the Huntington forces have been directed toward securing an agreement from the Councilmen that they will take no action on the franchise question today, other than to file the veto message or adopt some meaningless resolution. In the present state of public sentiment the subservient legislators must beware how they dance the Huntington tune.

Undoubtedly another attempt will be made this afternoon to "pack" the lobby with ward heelers and Huntington sympathizers in the hope of intimidating the Council. It is believed that many property owners whose interests are vitally affected by whatever steps are taken tomorrow, and who have their own welfare at heart, will be on hand to discountenance such tactics. On Wednesday the Huntington forces had hundreds of men in the lobby and gallery ready to do the wish of their corporate master.

WHITE ELEPHANT.

PUBLIC MARKET MAY GO.

Unless some unforeseen contingency shall arise, the city will have an opportunity to get rid of the useless public market site at the Council session next Monday. Since the market was moved to Third street and Central avenue last June, it has cost the city just $3394.31. During that time the receipts have amounted to the magnificent sum of $62.

The city holds a five-year lease, with an option of a five-year renewal on about two acres of property belonging to J. W. Wolfskill. The Ice and Cold Storage Company has made an offer for the land, provided the city will rescind the lease. It is understood that the consideration for the acreage owned by Wolfskill, only part of which is covered by the city's lease, is in the neighborhood of $70,000. The company wishes to secure the property as a warehouse site.

If the deal goes through, the city will be indebted to the Mayor for relieving the treasury of a heavy financial burden, as he was instrumental in bringing the negotiations to a climax. It is not thought possible that the Council will refuse to give up the lease in the face of the disastrous showing made at the market.

Everybody is familiar with the public market legislation, as it is a chapter in the city's history only a little less notorious than the franchise deal which the Mayor knocked out. At the old location at Ninth and Los Angeles streets the market brought in a revenue of about $300 a month. Five members of the Council—including four of the parties to the franchise grab—voted to move the market to the present site. Powers, Bowen and Allen opposed such action. Pierce and Blanchard, as a majority of the Finance Committee, presented a report in which they figured out that the city would save $3900 in rent in the first five years, and nearly double the amount in ten years. As the scheme turned out, the market has been a dead loss to the city of over $3300 in a little over six months.

As if it were not enough of a burden on the taxpayers to pay $175 a month in rent, the five Councilmen named W. B. Kirby as market inspector, and voted him a salary of $83.33 a month. After several ineffectual attempts to secure a majority of the Council in favor of a sub-lease of the market, the minority succeeded in having Kirby retired on a permanent vacation. He was never discharged, but at the conclusion of his twenty days' leave of absence he turned up as a chain gang guard, in which capacity he has since been employed.

The Mayor reached the conclusion that the only way out of the muddle was to secure the abrogation of the lease. This, he saw, could only be brought about by the sale of the property. The Ice and Cold Storage Company looked over the ground, and made an offer on it some weeks ago. Since then the negotiations have been pending. On Monday, it is said, Wolfskill will ask the Council to give up the lease.

Walls Will Be Tinted.

Decorators are at work on the walls of the committee-room at the City Hall, and by the middle of next week that microbe-infested place will take on quite a different appearance. The carpet that in three years had become little but a mat of dirt and filth, has been removed, and the floor will be covered with linoleum and rugs. New desks and chairs will be placed in the room for the convenience of Councilmen and the public.

Will Unfurl New Flag.

The City Clerk has purchased a new flag, 15x30 feet in size, which will be unfurled to the breeze on Washington's birthday from the City Hall flagstaff.

THOUGHT OF PILSHIRE.

Park Foreman Wouldn't Stand Much Argument on Money Question and Arrested Two Aged Disputants.

For the first time since the gabby H. Billboard Pillshire left the city to inflict upon a suffering public a publication which was refused second-class entry to the mails, an arrest was made yesterday in Central Park, under the ordinance passed expressly for the suppression of that individual's wind-jamming.

T. H. L. Lee, who comes here every winter from Iowa, and who lives on Broadway near Eighth street, happened to meet J. F. Turner of No. 1821 Toberman street in the park, and the two began a discussion of the money question. Both are old men and have means, and when they seated themselves on a bench and began to talk, not to the people, but to each other, they could not see that they were violating any law. A large crowd collected, and was amused by the good-natured bantering of the old men. The park foreman saw the crowd and warned the debaters that they were violating an ordinance, but they did not see it that way, and continued their talk. The second time the warning was given the crowd joshed the foreman. He arrested the two men and took them to the Police Station. They did not resist, and even at the Police Station they had no fault to find with the zealous guardian of the flowers. They promised that they will be in court this afternoon, and were released without bail.

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BOOKER T. WASHINGTON, the most famous colored man in America, has written for The Times' Magazine for the coming Sunday an article on the progress of his race in developing homes.

FRANK G. CARPENTER will tell the readers of The Times' Magazine the coming Sunday about what he terms "Asia's Greatest Wonder."

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A HIGHLY-INTERESTING bit of civil war on the shores of Lake Michigan is described in an article to be published in The Times' Magazine the coming Sunday.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

WILL COME OF AGE IN PENITENTIARY.

YOUTH GETS TWO YEARS IN SAN QUENTIN FOR BURGLARY.

W. Evyllynne Llewyllynne on Trial for Working His Alleged Graft of "Hall Burglary"—Accomplice, George Adams, Turns State's Evidence.

Charles Manwearing, 19 years old, has wound up his youthful career in the penitentiary at San Quentin. Burglary is the route he took. He will be gone two years.

It is hard luck for a boy to come of age in State's prison.

Charles is a St. Louis youth, who drifted West several months ago, going first to Sodomitical San Francisco and thence here, securing work as a waiter at Hotel Figueroa. It was Christmas eve that he committed burglary, entering the room of Mrs. A. T. Jerkins and stealing $35.

Judge Smith lectured him sternly, when the boy stood up for sentence, after withdrawing a plea of not guilty and pleading an absolute confession.

"How in the world did you come to do this crime?" asked the court.

"Well, I'll tell you," was the boy's chatty reply, as he cleared his throat to fool the judge; "it was Christmas eve and I was broke——"

"No excuse at all," shouted the judge, and the interruption scared any further "story" clear out of the prisoner's head, so he just shifted to the other foot and said: "Very well."

"You had plenty to eat, didn't you?" asked the Judge, continuing.

"Yes, sir," admitted Manwearing.

"And a place to sleep?"

"Yes, sir."

"Well, then, that story about being broke won't go. How did you happen to steal that money? Are you in the habit of picking up things?"

"No, sir; I just saw her tuck the money in the drawer, and afterward I went round and got it."

Then the court let loose in dead earnest.

"Look here, young man," said Judge Smith, "if you persist in stealing, some of these days you will be up against a stone wall and you will hardly go through it but the rest of your days will be spent in prison. Turn over a new leaf and let this sad experience be a lesson to you."

Then the boy was sentenced.

His lip quivered—but no tears.

WHOPPER OF A NAME.

"Hall-grafting" is the particular branch of the art burglarious that has been charged against W. Evyllynne Llewyllynne, "loyal subject of King Edward," who was on trial in the criminal court yesterday. When the prisoner was at large his stamping ground was that of all the thugs and disreputable characters in town—the Vienna Buffet. There he picked up two other fellows, George Adams and Gastoa Le Grand, who are also charged jointly with him in the burglary.

They are all boys scarcely out of their teens.

Llewyllynne says that in his idle moments he is a teacher of Spanish, so the habitues of the city's hotbeds of sin call him "professor." When the boys were arrested, "professor" wrote a letter to C. White Mortimer, British Vice-Consul in this city, stating that he was locked up in jail without known cause and as a loyal subject of King Edward he demanded protection. But an investigation soon disclosed the fact that Llewyllynne was held on a charge of burglary for entering the house of J. D. Connell at No. 521 South Olive street on December 21. As the alleged "hall burglar," he took the mail and a little package lying on a hall table. The package contained a belt belonging to a Miss Gregory, and from a letter was taken a postoffice money order payable to A. R. Stout for $9.92.

George Adams, whose true name is Brennen, turned State's evidence.

He says that on the night of the burglary Llewyllynne said to him and LeGrand at the Vienna Buffet: "What's your graft?"

They talked awhile.

Finally Llewyllynne said: "Let's go out and pick up something."

Off they all went to South Olive street and when they passed Connell's house, Llewyllynne said: "That's a good house to visit."

Adams says then that Llewyllynne worked his graft and gave him the money order to pass. That was on Saturday. Monday morning Adams and LeGrand attempted to get cash at the postoffice on the order and were arrested by Inspector Hall.

The case will go to the jury today.

CORPORATION DEBT.

STOCKHOLDERS PURSUED.

Stephen L. Turner was in Judge York's court yesterday, suing certain stockholders of the collapsed Fidelity Loan Concern to recover $1639.28 on a judgment against the corporation.

It will be remembered that the Fidelity Loan Concern went to the wall in May of last year, when R. C. O'Bryan, its chief spirit, suddenly disappeared—never to be heard of since. Many unsatisfied judgments are out against the concern, which was incorporated on August 13, 1900, with a capital stock of half a million dollars. The defendant directors whom Turner pursues are H. Merton Lord and O. P. Widaman, who are alleged to owe the corporation $1000 each for subscribed stock not paid up, and R. A. Rowan $100 under similar circumstances.

W. S. James, holding claims aggregating about $2500, has been allowed to become an intervenor in Turner's suit.

INCORPORATIONS.

MOTORS AND "WETNESS."

The Appeal Manufacturing and Jobbing Company, with principal place of business in Los Angeles, incorporated yesterday with a capital stock of $100,000, fully subscribed by the following directors: L. M. Passmore, Gideon Haynes, B. L. Vickrey, O. A. Vickrey, Los Angeles; Elsie L. Hamrick, Olive, Cal. The purpose of the corporation is to manufacture bicycles, wagons, motorcycles, automobiles, engines, boats, gas and gasoline motors.

The Chatsworth Park Social and Athletic Club incorporated yesterday for the "wet" refreshment of its members. The directors are A. C. Dunbar, W. A. Tope, J. H. Tope, F. S. Candelot and F. Pico, all of San Francisco.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

OFF TO AVALON. The grand jury and the Board of Supervisors are planning a trip to Catalina on Washington's birthday. Business and pleasure will be combined on that occasion, when the county roads and conditions generally will be inspected. On Monday Supervisor Hanley and the Road Committee of the grand jury will start on an inspection trip through the Fifth Supervisoral District to look after about 1000 miles of road. The trip will be made by wagon and will lie up through Burbank and the Antelope Valley.

MAY MORTGAGE. Judge York gave permission yesterday to the Grand View Presbyterian Church of Los Angeles to mortgage its $5000 premises for $1000.

FOXY BEGGAR. The County Jail has been called upon to give entertainment to Abraham Miller, professional beggar, for sixty days at the request of the Pomona authorities. Miller is an old man and a remarkable guest. He is said to carry a tale of woe written in several different languages.

NEW DIVORCES. Divorce suits were filed yesterday by H. W. Rogers vs. Laureta Rogers, John D. Dame vs. Katie F. Dame, and Mary De Van King vs. Francis E. King.

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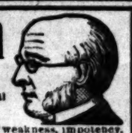

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40c quart Cream Pitchers at	25c each
70c 2-quart Water Pitchers at	50c each
$3.30 Coffee Cups and Saucers at	$2.25 doz
$2.30 Soup Plates at	$1.50 doz
75c Ind. Butter Dishes at	50c doz
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Orange County Towns---Santa Ana and Fullerton.

[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

JOE WILLIAMS STILL IN CUSTODY.

RELEASED BY SHERIFF, BUT HELD BY CONSTABLE.

Missouri Sheriff en Route to Fullerton to Claim the Prisoner—New Site for Santa Ana Library Hatching—Santa Ana Brevities.

SANTA ANA, Feb. 20.—Joseph Williams, who was arrested a few days ago at Fullerton, on information from Daviess county, Mo., charging him with incest, was brought into court today on a writ of habeas corpus. After hearing the argument of the attorneys, Judge Ballard ordered that the prisoner be discharged from the custody of the Sheriff, and that he be placed in the custody of the constable of Fullerton. His bail was reduced from $2000 to $200.

A dispatch received at Fullerton last night says that Sheriff McCray is speeding to California and will arrive in Fullerton via Sacramento about Saturday, and advising the officers to "hold at all hazards, Joe Williams." Williams declares he is innocent, but says he does not want to go back to Missouri.

NEW SITE HATCHING.

It is reported today that a new site for the Carnegie library building is in course of incubation, and that by Friday evening, the date set for library trustees to determine upon a site, the proposition will be handed in. It cannot be definitely ascertained just what the proposition is, but it is believed to be one that will be a surprise to the public, both as to location as well as to the very reasonable terms upon which it can be procured. From present indications it would seem that the residents of Santa Ana have imbibed a little Carnegie spirit, and, as a result, the city is likely to get a splendid site for its new library building at little or no cost.

SANTA ANA BREVITIES.

Mrs. S. M. Worcester and daughter, Lucile, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Billingsley at Villa Park, left today for their home in Denver, Colo. They were accompanied by Miss Helen Billingsley, who will attend school at Denver.

Vice-President Ellis of the Fraternal Order for this district was in Santa Ana yesterday and last night on a tour of inspection. In the evening there was a banquet and speech making after the regular business had been attended to.

C. A. Kingston and wife of London, Can., are the guests of R. M. Mitchell and family of Tustin. Mr. Kingston is City Clerk of London and Mrs. Kingston is the daughter of Mr. Mitchell.

H. E. Harris of San Bernardino and L. Parker of Manchester, Iowa, have been spending a few days in the Santa Ana Valley. Mr. Parker will probably locate at some point in the valley.

Dick Covington and Gideon Myers were this morning sentenced to nineteen days in the County Jail, the former for being drunk, and the latter for disturbing the peace.

Arrangements have been completed for a match game of baseball next Sunday in this city, between the Orange county team and the Riverside club.

Ground has been broken on Sycamore street, opposite the Rossmore Hotel, for a new building, which, when completed, will be occupied by S. R. Obarr.

Charles Rice of Superior, Neb., arrived in this city yesterday to make the Santa Ana Valley his future home.

John Stege of Riverside was in Santa Ana today superintending the shipment of a carload of hogs to Riverside.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hanna have removed to Los Angeles to make that city their future home.

L. Hilyard of Tustin left today for Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, on a business trip.

Mrs. Henry Richter and daughter returned yesterday from Chicago.

FULLERTON.

LEADS IN 'PHONES.

FULLERTON, Feb. 20.—Fullerton now has a larger telephone exchange than any town of its size in the State. A suburban line—making seven to county points—has been built to Yorba, and starts with 15 subscribers, running the list of members of the Fullerton exchange up to 122.

FULLERTON BREVITIES.

John Gardiner and Miss Louise Dean, well-known young people, were married last night at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dean, on West Commonwealth avenue. Rev. Mr. Farnworth officiated. They will reside in Fullerton.

Lemuel Ormsby has been called to the bedside of a San Diego friend who is dangerously ill.

At a recent meeting of the Board of Supervisors the Board of County Horticultural Commissioners was declared vacant, to take effect March 1.

Prof. Kouer of Berkeley examined the Fullerton High School in the class of physics Tuesday and seemed pleased with the work.

Mr. and Mrs. George Key are entertaining relatives from Canada.

Arthur Goud and wife of Caribou, Me.; Mrs. Joseph Smith of Bridgewater, Me.; Mrs. Clara Birch of Kansas; Mrs. A. E. Wilson of Los Angeles, and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Small of Murietta, were guests of C. H. Smith and daughter, Miss Daisy, yesterday.

Nine members have been added to the Methodist Episcopal Church, the result of the series of meetings.

ANAHEIM.

NEWS BREVITIES.

ANAHEIM, Feb. 20.—S. N. McWilliams and family of Iowa are guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McWilliams. They will locate here.

The Farmers' Club will hold its next meeting in Backs' Hall Monday afternoon, when an interesting session is anticipated. The club will take steps to arrange for a farmers' institute here soon.

Charles Landell and Miss Elva Calder will be married in Buena Park next Sunday.

Steve Devoe of Los Alamitos has returned from a trip to Kansas and the East.

Mr. and Mrs. Vinson have sold their property here and will move to Indian Territory.

Oscar Renner has returned from the Philippines, and says California is good enough for him. He has been in the army three years.

William Ahlborn has been elected to represent the local Turners at the Tagsatzung of the Southern California district, at San Diego next month.

Miss Laura Roller has gone to Los Angeles to reside with her sister, Mrs. Passmore.

Mrs. H. Strodthoff is here from Mexico visiting her mother, Mrs. W. J. Fay.

ORANGE.

BRISK BUILDING BOOM.

ORANGE, Feb. 20.—Building operations are continuing in this town. The new brick block across from the postoffice, which is being erected by Henry Carpenter, is now nearing completion. This is the second brick block Mr. Carpenter has erected in Orange during the past two years, and he is now considering the building of another block adjoining the one now in course of construction. There is also considerable activity in the building line in the residence district.

ORANGE BREVITIES.

Mrs. Ellis Smith of Orange has gone to Los Angeles to take a position as nurse in one of the hospitals.

Nineteen carloads of oranges and one of potatoes were shipped from this place during the week.

Paul B. Gatzke and family have arrived in Orange from Morriston, Minn., with a view of making this locality their future home. About two years ago Mr. Gatzke's store in Morristown was blown down by a cyclone, burying seven or eight people, and almost killing him.

The canals of the irrigation company are still running to their utmost capacity, and yet the demand for irrigating water is greater than the supply.

A message has been received here announcing the death of Samuel S. Schultz, aged 66 years, at Topeka, Kan. Mr. Schultz and family resided in Orange for a number of years, having moved back to Kansas only a little more than a year ago.

Riverside and San Bernardino Counties.

[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

RIVERSIDE FIREMEN'S GENEROUS HOST.

D. M'CALL TENDERS A BANQUET TO THE DEPARTMENT.

City Trustees Given a Chance to Hear the Needs of the Fire Fighters—Spirited Game of Polo—Maccabees' Reception—Riverside News Notes.

RIVERSIDE, Feb. 20.—Following a custom adopted some years ago, D. McCall tendered the Riverside fire department his annual banquet last evening at the fire hall on Seventh street. City Trustees Covert and McFarland were among the guests present. At the conclusion of the feast, Fire Chief Schneider spoke of the needs of the department, addressing his remarks particularly to the City Trustees. The department needs, the Chief said, a new fire station on the east side, with proper accommodations for the horse and driver, and a new hook and ladder truck with chemical attachment. The ladder at present owned by the department will not reach to the top of a three-story building. New hydrants and hose and an extra alarm box in the northern part of town are also needed. The Trustees promised to give due consideration to the needs of the department. Past Chiefs Ward and Wight spoke, and there were remarks by Mr. Sanker of the Arlington department, J. A. Simms, M. T. Cunniff and others.

EXCITING POLO.

A large number of interested spectators witnessed three exciting periods of polo, which were played yesterday afternoon between the Reds and Whites. In the first period, the Reds, consisting of Praed, Flowers, Roberts and Mackie, scored two goals. The Whites, Messrs. Bettner, Norton, Hudson and Wright, failed to score. In the second period, Messrs. Praed, Wright and Wilson were pitted against Messrs. Roberts, Flowers and Norton. Neither side scored. In the third period, Messrs. Bettner, Hudson, Wright and Roberts scored one goal against Messrs. Praed, Mackie, Flowers and Wilson. Tea was served by Mrs. Flowers.

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.

The following officers of Co. No. 30, Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, were installed last evening for the coming term: Captain, A. A. Wood; First Lieutenant, E. H. Gruwell; Second Lieutenant, John Short; Recorder, Dr. Neblett; Treasurer, D. N. Findlay. The company is drilling actively in preparation for the coming meeting of the Supreme Lodge and Uniform Rank, which will be held next August in San Francisco.

The Knights and Ladies of the Maccabees tendered a reception last evening at Odd Fellows' Hall, in honor of State Commander Mrs. Minnie Aydolotte of Oakland. Following an interesting musical and literary programe, Mrs. Aydolotte spoke briefly, after which seventeen members of the hive gave the Lady Maccabees' drill, led by Past Commanders Mrs Bertha G. Clayton and Mrs. Jennie Ashcraft.

Baron and Baroness Alexander Van Schrador of Berlin, Miss Anna Hatch, sister of the Baroness, and their aunt, Miss Grace B. Hatch of Buffalo, N. Y., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kennedy on Victoria avenue.

Miss Judith Eveline Miller died yesterday at her home on Magnolia avenue, after a short illness, aged 19 years. The young woman was a musician of marked talent.

Mrs. Madison Corrigan entertained a company of friends Tuesday afternoon at her home in West Riverside, in honor of Mrs. A. J. Horne of South Bend, Ind.

A large party of Los Angeles excursionists spent several hours here this afternoon on a trip around the Kite-shaped track.

Jesus Ocheo was arrested yesterday for using profane and indecent language in the presence of Mrs. Francis Martinez.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Alkire entertained a company of friends last evening at their home on Orange street.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Hewitt are at Catalina for a short stay.

Miss Blanche Longfellow is visiting friends in Los Angeles.

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SANTA FE SHOP'S FORCE GREATLY REDUCED.

TWO HUNDRED AND FORTY MEN GIVEN THEIR TIME.

Working of Night Shifts Discontinued—Partial Shut-down Due to Falling Off in Freight Traffic—San Bernardino Happenings.

SAN BERNARDINO, Feb. 20.—An order largely reducing the force of workmen at the Santa Fé shops here went into effect last evening, when 240, or about one-third of the workmen, were given their time checks and informed that their services would not be required after today. It was also given out that the large night force, which has been on shift for many months, would be done away with, so that for the present nothing will be doing at night, except at the roundhouse, where a gang of workmen is kept employed constantly, making minor repairs on the locomotives. The cut in the working force is pretty evenly distributed among the several departments, although the machine, blacksmith and boiler shops suffer most. The order for a reduction of the force, which came from Chicago, was caused, it is said, by reason of the marked slump in this season's freight traffic, particularly in the matter of orange shipments.

BREEN'S BAD LUCK.

J. W. Breen, a boilermaker employed at the Santa Fé shops, was seriously injured today and narrowly escaped being killed. He boarded the private car of an eastern railroad official as it was pulling out of the yards, and at E street, when the train had attained considerable speed, he attempted to jump off. His left foot caught in the car platform, and he was dragged over the ties, until the shoe was torn off. He was picked up conscious, but terribly cut and bruised about the head and body. Breen recently was brought into public notice by being arrested on a complaint sworn out by his wife, charging him with threatening her life. He was released from custody a few days ago on his own recognizance. It is believed he will recover.

PYTHIAN RALLY.

Everything is in readiness for the big Pythian rally here Saturday, when the local company of the Uniform Rank will be mustered in in the presence of all the other companies in the regiment. Excursion trains will be run from Los Angeles and the near-by towns.

SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES.

Will Hildebrand, charged with petty larceny, with a prior conviction, and John Lane, charged with robbery, were arraigned yesterday. Each entered a plea of not guilty. Their trials will be set Monday.

Lucinda Palmer, wife of T. L. Palmer, died here yesterday, aged 53 years. The funeral services will be conducted at 10 o'clock Friday morning at the Presbyterian Church by Rev. D. McG. Gandier.

James A. Young has petitioned for letters of administration on the estate of Lydia A. Young, who died April 8, 1901, in Ontario, leaving property valued at $14,000.

Robert Wiener, a native of Russia, died here yesterday, aged 73 years. The funeral took place this afternoon from his late residence.

Mrs. H. R. Smith, who has been visiting relatives here, left yesterday for her home in Bakersfield.

W. E. Torrence of Ripley, O., is a guest at the home of Jay William Smith.

Miss Katherine Simmons of Binghamton, N. Y., is visiting relatives here.

Miss Mazie Phillips is visiting relatives in Pasadena.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Olson left yesterday for Chicago.

Mrs. Mary Russell left yesterday for Chandler, Okla.

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REDLANDS.

CHEAPER ELECTRIC LIGHT.

REDLANDS, Feb. 20.—The Redlands Electric Light and Power Company has reduced rates from 17¾ cents to 15 cents per thousand watts. This city is now on the same basis as Los Angeles and Pasadena as regards the cost of electric light and power.

REDLANDS BREVITIES.

Rev. Frederick F. Johnson, pastor of Trinity Church, left this morning for Salt Lake City, to consult with the vestry of St. Paul's Church of that city, in reference to the call they have extended him. Bishop Jaggar of Ohio will occupy his pulpit next Sunday.

Seventeen carloads of oranges were shipped from here today, making a total of seventy-three for the four days of the week, a slight falling off from last week's shipments.

Cameron Husband of Husband Bros. & Co., and Frank Evarist of McWilliams & Everist, both of Toronto, and George W. Walker of Hugh Walker & Son, Guelph, Canada, representing three of the largest fruit concerns in Canada, have been here during the week, buying oranges. They left this morning for Los Angeles, where they expect to spend some time combining business with pleasure.

James Bartlett of Bartlett Bros., manufacturers of heating and ventilating engineers at Cleveland, O., left this morning for Los Angeles, after spending several weeks here.

Among the names mentioned as connected with the proposed sanitarium to be erected on the Heights, was A. N. Dike, but he says he is in no way connected with the project.

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FRANK G. CARPENTER will tell the readers of The Times' Magazine the coming Sunday about what he terms "Asia's Greatest Wonder."

THE TRICK.

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SANTA BARBARA.

DEATH OF A. GUTIERREZ.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 20.—After a lingering illness, Antonio Gutierrez, son of B. Gutierrez, Sr., died at his home on Cañon Perdido street, last night, from a complication of diseases. He leaves a widow and seven children. Mr. Gutierrez was born in Santa Barbara forty-two years ago, and resided in this city all his life. He was one of the best-known druggists in this city, having been employed in the store of his father for many years.

SUMMERLAND LAWSUIT.

A suit was filed in the Superior Court late Tuesday afternoon, involving title to nearly all of the Summerland water front. The Robinson Oil Company and eight other firms and individuals appear as plaintiffs, and Mrs. Agnes Becker and husband are defendants. In June, 1898, H. L. Williams, known as the founder of Summerland, executed a deed, in which he conveyed to his wife, now Mrs. Becker, the defendant, 3000 feet of water front, fifty feet deep, which now comprises nearly all of what is known as the "city front," and is rated as the most valuable property in Summerland. In January, 1899, Williams died, and his wife was appointed sole executrix of his estate. Many claims were then presented in court and allowed, but not all, as appears from the list of unsatisfied creditors set forth in the papers just filed. These claims aggregate $821.50. In the complaint it is alleged that Williams fraudulently deeded the land to his wife. The court is asked to set aside the deed, and to include the land in the estate, subject to the claims of the plaintiff.

WILLIAMS DIVORCE.

A divorce was granted yesterday afternoon in the Superior Court to Emma M. Williams of Summerland from Henry L. Williams on the ground of desertion. The whereabouts of the defendant is unknown. The plaintiff is a daughter of Mrs. Agnes Becker by a marriage prior to the mother's marriage to H. L. Williams, the father of the defendant. The parties are step-brother and sister, and grew up together. They were married three years ago.

SANTA BARBARA BREVITIES.

The Christian Science Society of this city recently purchased the old Unitarian Church building, which the Chamber of Commerce has been occupying. The society having given notice that it will occupy this building March 1, the Chamber of Commerce has decided to occupy Crane's Hall, over the First National Bank.

Co. 48, Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, gave a ball last night at the Armory Hall. There were present seventy-five couples, the members of the order appearing in full uniform.

Mrs. Oscar Carver, formerly Mrs. Sadie Leslie of this city, died in Hartford, Kan., Monday evening.

G. S. Edwards has filed a petition for letters of administration upon the estate of Mary Green, deceased.

Sheriff Stewart returned Tuesday night from Paso Robles with the burglar who recently looted the Dewlaney residence at Goleta. The prisoner gave the name of Eugene Bowen.

Twenty-five crawfish traps belonging to Fisherman Larco, besides much other property of fishermen, have been destroyed by the recent high tides, and the fish have been driven far out into the channel.

The schooner Santa Barbara, long overdue, arrived yesterday with 300,000 feet of Oregon pine for the Santa Barbara Lumber Company.

After a day and a half of argument on alleged errors in the rulings of Justice Curley, the Hayford case was disposed of in the Superior Court yesterday, Judge Day rendering an oral opinion, in which he sustained the action of the lower court. Hayford will appeal to the State Supreme Court.

Monsigneur M. Antonini, secretary of the Pope, arrived here on the steamer Santa Rosa yesterday afternoon, and is the guest of Mrs. Rogers in Montecito.

President Ripley of the Santa Fé Railroad, who recently leased the Peyton home for three months, has arrived with his family in his private car.

R. J. Peckinpaugh of Hiawatha, Kan., accompanied by his wife, is visiting his sister, Mrs. S. S. Price.

LOMPOC.

NEW LIQUOR ORDINANCE.

LOMPOC, Feb. 20.—The new ordinance regulating the sale of liquor, which goes into effect on March 1, differs from the one now in force in a number of ways. The present law closes the saloons at 11 o'clock at night, while the new ordinance allows them to remain open until midnight. Temperance advocates here are surprised to find this clause in the ordinance, but a member of the board, when asked why the time was extended, said that it was not possible to enforce the old law in this particular. Another clause prohibits the playing of a piano or other music in a saloon that might attract the attention of passers on the sidewalk, and a third limits the number of saloons in the town by providing that but one saloon shall exist for "every 800 or fraction thereof, of the inhabitants." Trustee Shilling alone voted against the adoption of the ordinance.

Irrigating goes on night and day, for the water is far too precious, at this season, to be allowed to waste. Many acres along the line of the ditch have been flooded, and if the supply of water proves sufficient the ditches will be extended down the valley as far as the Bailey cross road. Recent showers have given new life to the growing barley on unirrigated soil.

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SANTA MARIA.

HIGH TIDE ALONG COAST.

SANTA MARIA, Feb. 20.—The tide along the coast of this section of the county reached the highest point in many years on Monday morning, and caused considerable damage. Many fishermen have lost boats, nets and other property, and in some cases even their homes, which were swept away by the waves coming far above the usual water line. Numerous summer residences have been badly injured and will have to be rebuilt. At the mouth of the Santa Maria River the water was higher than any of the oldest inhabitants have seen it before, the water backing up in the river and practically flooding the Guadaloupe Park and coming within a few hundred feet of Guadaloupe itself. Many acres of land have been inundated, making it doubtful whether the land can be used this season. Mussel Rock and other points which have never before been submerged, were completely under water. At the time of the high tide a strong westerly gale was prevailing, which materially caused the water to run as high as it did. The beach presents a queer spectacle, being strewn with wreckage of fences, houses, barns, etc.

AN UNWELCOME GUEST.

Considerable commotion was caused at the residence of Ed Ow late Saturday night, by a drunken man entering the house and proceeding to the upper floor. At the time no one was on the premises but Mrs. Ow and a little girl. At first Mrs. Ow thought the arrival was a member of the family, and paid no attention to the incident, but after a while the intruder made such unusual noise that she started an investigation. To her surprise she found a total stranger in a beastly state of intoxication trying to make himself comfortable in her home. By the aid of several passing citizens the unwelcome guest was ejected and given over to the constable.

SANTA MARIA BREVITIES.

While Mrs. R. L. Jones and Miss Stella Jones, wife and daughter of the proprietor of the Hart House, and Mrs. J. Long were out driving yesterday the horse became frightened and nearly upset the surrey, throwing Mrs. Jones and daughter out of the vehicle. They were badly shaken up and received some bruises, but were not seriously injured.

Mathias Walker of Los Berros has been committed to the insane asylum at Agnews on account of mental derangement.

H. H. Johnson, a pioneer of this valley and well advanced in years, was taken suddenly ill while visiting friends in this city. Mr. Johnson's home is in Guadaloupe, and he is well known throughout this part of the State as one of the leading cheesemakers. He is at the Hart Hotel, and his condition is precarious.

A considerable area has been seeded to red oats this season, one rancher alone having planted 900 acres. The crop is looking remarkably well, and gives assurance of exceeding that of last year. The yield of hay in this valley will be fully up to that of last year.

Milton Palmer, until recently professor of the Guadaloupe public school, has moved to Pasadena.

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WARNING AGAINST INJECTION FOR RUPTURE..

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 19, 1901.

This is to certify that I have been suffering for nine years with a severe case of rupture. I have tried all kinds of trusses, which only proved to be tortures. But the worst torture which I warn one and all sufferers against is injections, which have caused me lots of pain and suffering. I was injected by two of our Los Angeles doctors for one long year, and at last they brought me so far as not to be able to walk or sleep from suffering. By good luck I heard from a friend of mine, Mr. P. Johnson of San Bernardino, who had been cured by Prof. Fandrey. Mr. Johnson told me that he hadn't lost one day from his work, which is in a machine shop, and has hard work. So I went to Prof. Joseph Fandrey, 642 South Main, Los Angeles. He examined me carefully. Professor told me that he would rather cure a dozen rupture sufferers who never injected as to take my case, as it would be hard work for him. But he told me to have courage and he would do his best, only to follow his instructions. Thank God, I am now sound and well. As I repeat again, I was injected seventy-five times, and by it left a hard lump, which the professor had to remove before he could get at the rupture. My home is now in Los Angeles, 452 South Griffith avenue. Any sufferer wishing to investigate further can do so by calling at my address.

MARTIN MAY.

RUPTURE CAN BE CURED BY

Prof. Joseph Fandrey.

I have abundant proofs showing that I have permanently cured patients who were suffering from so-called injection treatment for ruptures—a treatment, by the way, usually very disastrous, as it greatly aggravates the trouble.

I wish to notify sufferers from such treatment, or maltreatment as it might be termed, that I do not care to take such cases in future, as the work is too arduous. Any other kinds of rupture, no matter of how long standing or how complicated, I am able and willing to cure, but I draw the line at injection-treated rupture.

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MALARIA, Fevers, Chills, Coughs, Colds, Dyspepsia of whatever form, quickly cured by taking Duffy's Malt. A tablespoonful in glass of water three times a day. All druggists and grocers. Beware of imitations.

WINE OF CARDUI

Regulates the menstrual flow, cures leucorrhoea, falling of the womb and all the other ailments peculiar to women. Buy a $1 bottle from your druggist to-day.

To the Stockholders

OF UNITED WHOLESALE GROCERY COMPANY.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT A MEETING of the stockholders of United Wholesale Grocery Company will be held at the principal place of business of the corporation, to wit: Nos. 132 to 134 South Los Angeles street, in the city of Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, State of California, the same being the building where the board of directors of said corporation usually meet, on Tuesday, the eighteenth day of March, 1902, at 4 o'clock p.m., to consider and vote upon the question of increasing the capital stock of said corporation from one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars, divided into twelve hundred and fifty shares of one hundred dollars each, to two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, divided into twenty-five hundred shares of one hundred dollars each.

By order of the board of directors.

J. A. ROSESTEEL, President.

H. BOOTH, Secretary.

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The true importance, ... our diseases and their ... ural constitutional ... with their cure, will ... deserving by you who ... usual facilities for the ... study that our large ... ence of work in this ... made the successful ... these diseases a profes... more advanced manner ... plied facility to the ... to replenish the ... vital nerve powers, ... cure and happily restore ... accomplish this by ... treatment. By our Co... we promptly the ... elementary principles ... assert themselves, ... functional activity of ... tem.

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...ATH WAS REWARD OF HER DEVOTION.

...DENA NURSE PASSES AWAY ... COUNTY HOSPITAL.

...e Skeleton From a Patient and ...ded to the Disease—Pasadena ...Expanding—Tournament Park ...to the Public.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, ... South Raymond Avenue, Feb. ... Blanche Harry of No. 497 ... Oak avenue, died this aft... at the County Hospital in Los ... Her death was caused by ... and the circumstances are ... sad. Miss Harry was 24 ... of age, and was born in this city, ... one of the first children born ... She was to have been married a ... ago to W. L. Johnson. Her ... was taken ill and was nursed ... by his serious illness by Miss ... Shortly afterward the young ... died in the County Hospital ... of trained nurses, intending to ... the profession. When she had ... done but a short time, a friend, ... nurse, was taken ill with the ... fever, and Miss Harry nursed ... friend got well, but the young ... who cared for her caught the ... and did not recover. The nurses' ... has been quarantined, and it ... difficult for the relatives of the ... to secure the body for a proper ...

Miss Harry was the daughter of Wil... Harry. She was treasurer of the ... of the Ladies of the Mac...

...ORE HOTEL ROOM.

...dena's future as a tourist resort ... pretty thoroughly realized by ... visitors. The Spaulding House ... on East Colorado street near ... Raymond avenue, is to be greatly ... to provide for next year's ... The proprietor, I. C. Goodridge, is ... plans whereby the house will ... accommodate more rooms, at a ... cost of $5,000. Some months ago he ... a lot on the west of the ho... which permits of an addition of ... feet deep, with a frontage of 2... work will begin in the early sum... of the house will be ready for ... the opening. Many other boarding ... and hotels are considering ad... to their functional activity of ...

TOURNAMENT PARK.

The last sort of regulations to make ... Tournament Park is puzzling ... Tournament of Roses directors, and ... have created them ever since the husky ... Stanford boys pounded the Stanford boys ... to the tune of 13 to 6. Some time ago ... directors decided to charge $10 for ... use of the grounds to baseball ... players, etc. The sporting organiza... could not afford to pay for the ... of the grounds, and began talking ... of securing grounds elsewhere. So ... tournament directors have decided ... to throw the grounds open to the pub... when no admission fee is asked by ... management of events. The Mac... have, therefore, been informed ... their game with the Woodmen ... will be played on the ... rental will be asked. In the ... the Troop nine may play ... recent nine under the same ... But where there are any ... by the owners of the grounds ... a slice. They wish to make ... of the property for the ... Tournament Association, ... a debt upon the place, and ... have the debt cleared off ... the property over to the ...

...ADENA BREVITIES.

Funeral of George F. Jennings ... at the parlors of Reynolds ... on Friday afternoon at ... the remains will be placed ... for the present.

Regular meeting of the North ... Improvement Association ... in Foresters' Hall tomor... evening.

Dr. Tuttle, president of the Uni... of Virginia, at Charlotteville, ... at Evanston Inn with his wife ... daughter.

Frank Bissell, son of Mr. and Mrs. ... Bissell, is seriously ill in San ... with appendicitis.

Mrs. McIntyre, the lecturer ... Mrs. McIntyre, has purchased a home in ...

The Duke of England visited his ... Mrs. J. Richardson, here today.

Mary Jane Knox, aged 81 years, ... Tuesday in Sierra Madre.

Mrs. Chapman yesterday celebrated ... fourth birthday.

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SIERRA MADRE.

WEDDING CELEBRATED.

SIERRA MADRE, Feb. 20.—Mr. and ... Thompson of Central avenue ... celebrated their golden wed... anniversary, having lived in peace ... harmony for fifty years. They ... married most of that time in the ... of New York, but came here a ... years ago to spend the remaining ... of their lives in a warmer clime. ... were celebrated last week his ... fourth birthday.

Mr. Bixby of Minnesota is the ... of her brother, A. S. Bixby, ... she has not seen for twenty ...

Mrs. McCaughey, a leading attorney ... Pasadena, accompanied by his ... child, is the guest of E. J. ... at Santa Anita. Mrs. Mc... was formerly Anita Baldwin, ... Baldwin's youngest daughter, for ... the large ranch was named. ... Brownell and two daughters ... Ireland are the guests of Mrs. ... Baldwin avenue.

Mr. Crane left this week for the ... mining country, in the in... of a large mining company.

POMONA.

MERCHANDISE SHOOT.

POMONA, Feb. 20.—The fourth an... merchandise shoot of the Pomona ... Club will be held on Washington's ... at the shooting grounds just ... the city limits. There will be ... events of two classes, each class ... several sub-classes. The Pomona ... merchants have contributed goods and ... prizes to the amount of $150. ... entrance fee will be 50 cents. ... Henderson, Gallup, George and ... will have the affair in charge.

Archdeacon A. G. L. Trew of the Church of the Epiphany, East Los Angeles, preached at St. Paul's Episcopal Church here last evening. A vested choir of twelve singers took part in the service.

The funeral of the late Mrs. D. M. Russell will be held from the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Varcoe, on Williams street tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. M. Broad of Ontario officiating.

The Street Superintendent is grading and improving upper San Antonio avenue above Cucamonga avenue.

C. K. Short has purchased two lots on Pearl street from F. A. J. Diss of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ross will leave tomorrow night for a trip to Chicago, Louisville and New Orleans. They will be away about three months.

Mrs. Catharine Iser has bought a lot at the corner of Third and Palomares streets, and will build a house thereon.

Albert J. Crosfield of Reigate, Eng., is registered at Hotel Palomares.

Prof. A. J. Cook of Pomona College will go to Glendora tomorrow to conduct a farmers' institute there, February 21 and 22.

The Pomona baseball nine will go to Riverside to play a game with the Riverside team on Saturday.

WHITTIER.

NEW BOARD OF HEALTH.

WHITTIER, Feb. 20.—At the adjourned meeting of the City Council last evening the resignation of Dr. L. D. Johnson as Health Officer, presented at a previous meeting, Tuesday night, was accepted. A new Board of Health composed of Dr. A. W. McClintock, J. A. Hockett, W. S. George and J. W. Bailey was appointed.

The funeral of Mrs. A. P. Cooper, who died Monday night after a long illness with heart disease, was held at her late home on Philadelphia street at 9 o'clock this morning. Dr. L. D. Johnson officiated. The remains were taken to El Monte for burial.

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SEA DEVILS IN SCHOOL.

Tentacled Host Seen by Two Witnesses Off San Pedro.

SAN PEDRO, Feb. 20.—From out over the promontory comes an account of the view of an octopus monstrous enough to send shivers through the stoutest heart. It is established by the mouths of two reputable witnesses that a devil fish big enough to fold its arms about a ship was within three miles of Point Firmin, Tuesday night; and there was a school of the monsters, some of which may have been even larger than the one monster plainly seen.

Capt. G. N. Shaw, a veteran sea dog and keeper of the Point Firmin light ascended the tower as usual Tuesday near dusk and made preparations to start the light.

Glancing seaward the keeper saw something that made him start in surprise.

"A sea serpent by Jove!" said the captain to himself.

He looked again and quickly saw that his first surmise was wrong. In the light of his experiences in the Indian Ocean about the Seashell and Johanna Islands, where the big octopus is in his element, he saw that the monster was a devil fish and probably the largest he had ever beheld.

As the veteran seaman brought his marine glasses to play on the great curio he saw that not merely one but a school of devil fish lay about three miles from shore southwest of the point.

Capt. Shaw thinks there were about one hundred of the fish. With one exception only the heads, or central parts of each of the bodies, were seen.

Gradually one of the monsters raised a mighty tentacle. The arm as it cleared the water seemed to be fully fifty feet long. Slowly the big feeler rose till it stood nearly perpendicular. It remained in that position for several seconds.

The creatures were of a dark brown or reddish hue. Their movements were slow almost to the point of sluggishness. Gradually they drifted off swam southward and were soon lost to view.

"The spectacle was a marvelous one," said Capt. Shaw today. "I could hardly believe my own eyes."

The appearance of the giant radiates was also witnessed by Mrs. H. Beal, wife of a San Pedro merchant. She did not have a binocular, but she nevertheless got a very good view, and her description of the many-armed creatures correspond closely with that given by Capt. Shaw.

LONG BEACH.

THIRD PARTY FOR LIQUOR.

LONG BEACH, Feb. 20.—Three of the five City Trustees will have completed their terms of office in April, and there is a considerable stir over the question of their successors.

Until recently it had been expected that the coming contest would be sharply defined, and that the only factions or parties having any considerable following would be composed of those who favor absolute prohibition, which, nominally, exists under the present liquor ordinance, and those who favor a strong temperance policy, such as would permit the serving of liquors with meals at the principal hotels.

Another element, however, is making claims to recognition on a proposition much more favorable to the liquor traffic than that of what is known as the liberal party.

The call issued for the citizens' mass meeting at the City Hall Friday invites the presence of "all citizens opposed to strict prohibition, as the policy of Long Beach."

The City Trustees whose terms will expire in April, are Messrs. Hart, Campbell and Caldwell. The two holdover members are President C. J. Walker and T. A. Stephens. President Walker is classed as a Prohibitionist, and is considered as the head of the present administration, which enacted the prohibition ordinance now in force. Trustee Stephens, although he has been somewhat closely allied to the Walker administration, is understood to be in favor of liquor measures much more favorable than the present ordinance.

CHRISTIAN BAZAAR.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Long Beach Christian Church gave a bazaar and entertainment at the City Hall today. Dinner was served at noon, and in the evening and tonight there was an entertainment. Among the features of the programme were an instrumental quartette by the Lyons children, a reading by Miss Rena Phillips, a piano solo by Miss Blanche Cannon, a vocal solo by Miss Jessie Cook, a reading by Miss Plums Jacques, a vocal solo by Miss Patten, and a vocal solo by Frank Cates.

The ladies in charge of the bazaar and entertainment were: Mrs. Ada Gaines, Mrs. Pyront, Mrs. M. S. Julian, Mrs. R. E. Osborn, Mrs. M. S. Thompson, Miss Grace Thompson, Mrs. E. L. Riley, Mrs. J. C. Willhoit, Miss Southwick, Mrs. Keith, Mrs. Brockett, Mrs. Laura Bacon, Mrs. Fannie Bacon, Mrs. Rothrock, Mrs. Courtney, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Grant K. Lewis, Mrs. Greenleaf, Mrs. Treadway and Mrs. White.

LONG BEACH BREVITIES.

Leon Johnson, late of New Jersey, has been added to the office staff of the Bank of Long Beach.

The Long Beach Savings Bank has opened, with J. W. Tucker, assistant cashier, in charge.

A petition bearing a large number of signatures and asking that better means be provided for the disposal of garbage, was presented to the City Trustees Monday evening, but action on the request was deferred for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Firman of St. Louis, Mo.; M. A. Stillman of San Francisco, Dr. Colburn of Los Angeles, K. E. Ellsworth and C. F. Leichardt of Phoenix, Ariz.; C. F. Freidman and Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Kingston of Chicago, Mrs. W. L. Hathaway and children of Albuquerque, N. M., and L. B. Bowers of Kansas City, Mo., are staying at the Riviera.

Mr. and Mrs. Fox of Etiwanda are at the Julian, where they are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Henderson, wife of the Speaker of the National House of Representatives.

Mrs. L. Parker, Miss M. Parker and Miss L. Hoyle of Pomona, Miss E. C. Clark and Mrs. M. F. Bradshaw of Los Angeles, and Mrs. H. Purcell of Colorado Springs, are at the Smithsonian.

Miss Emma Buckley of Seattle, Wash.; Mrs. W. A. Sanders and family of Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Carpenter of Elgin, Kan.; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Thayer of Brockton, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. McD. Snowball of Pasadena are staying at the Del Mar.

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SANTA CATALINA ISLAND.

PICNIC PARTIES AFLOAT.

AVALON, Feb. 20.—The launch Queen took a picnic party to Moonstone Beach Tuesday, consisting of the following: Miss Florence Tinsman, Miss Grace Holt, Chicago; Miss Ethel Ayers, Pasadena; H. F. Greenough and wife, Rock Island, Ill.; Hy Mayor, Grand Island, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Zent, Mr. nd Mrs. H. R. Culbertson and Miss Neille Culbertson, Auburn, Ind.; Louis Fenrer, Portland, Or.; Maria Gohring, Engelsburg, Austria; Fred Brewster, Charles H. Walker, New York; C. W. Kaley, Red Cloud, Neb.

A delightful evening was spent in a moonlight ride on the Meteor last night, the following persons participating: Mrs. Renshaw, Mr. Hardy, Miss Cora Walsen, Mr. Bowen, David Bell, Miss Holland, Miss E. Smith, J. Jay Nestell, F. V. Rider, Miss Herron, Miss Ida Herron, Mr. Marshall, Miss Easton, Mrs. Tabraham, Mr. Weaver, Mrs. Herron, Capt. Jargstorff, W. A. Shappell, Mr. and Mrs. Bauer.

The Queen also took the following party to Arch Rock and other points of interest yesterday: Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Brooking, Mrs. Clyde E. Pierce, Mrs. John McGue, Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hadison, Miss Edna Dean, Geneva, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Wood, Mrs. S. K. Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. A. Mason, Early, Iowa.

TWO NEW BOATS.

The Idlewild, a new launch built for Smith & Newberry at San Pedro, has arrived and made her initial trip to the Isthmus yesterday. She is twenty-five feet in length and equipped with four-horse-power union engine. Smith & Newberry this morning launched the largest glass-bottom boat ever built. They christened it "The San Salvador," which was the name originally given this island by the Spanish explorers who discovered it.

AVALON BREVITIES.

Mgr. M. Antonini of Rome, Italy, the Pope's secretary, was a visitor to the island Tuesday, in company with T. A. Grady, manager of the Santa Fé personally-conducted excursions.

Mr. and Mrs. Christie L. Whitnah, Dorothea and Mildred Whitnah, Mr. and Mrs. Christian Rohrer and Mrs. M. E. Whitnah, of Canton, Ill., who are spending the winter in Southern California, were among those registering at the Metropole yesterday.

Mrs. V. Clark and daughters, J. J. Brooking and wife, Mrs. M. E. Ross, H. De la Grange and B. E. Bumgarner are a party of Los Angeles people staying at the Glenmore.

Mrs. Jack Elcock and son returned yesterday from a three weeks' visit to Los Angeles, and with her is her cousin, Miss Gertrude Conquir, of Streeter, Ill.

Howard Thompson and wife, Clarkson Fogg and wife, Miss Helen Fogg and Miss Mary M. Mulford of Philadelphia, are a party of Philadelphians now at the Grand View.

Mrs. J. P. McCue of Los Angeles is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pierce.

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TROPICO.

W.R.C. ENTERTAINMENT.

TROPICO, Feb. 20.—N. P. Banks W. R.C. presented at G.A.R. Hall Tuesday evening the "Deestrick Skule" to a large and appreciative audience. The proceeds will more than liquidate the last payment on the piano recently purchased by the ladies of the corps.

The Tropico Child Study Circle gave a very interesting programme to a large audience at the Tropico school Friday evening. The Glendale Orchestra furnished the music, and light refreshments were served.

C. C. Winne's new residence on Cypress street is rapidly approaching completion.

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WOMEN'S CLUBS.

Los Angeles Ebell.

The French section of the Ebell, which had a practice hour yesterday and a rehearsal of the French play preparing for report day, on Wednesday, is very proud of its growth in size and its progress in French. The little comedy by Prof. D'Armazit, the instructor, which the section is learning, promises to be a great success.

The literature section held its semi-monthly meeting yesterday, with a large attendance, Mrs. Williamson Dunn, the curator, in charge. Donald Mitchell was the subject of study.

The musical section had a programme of "home composers" yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Chick, the curator, sang two numbers, "Mammy's Lullaby" and "Phil's Secret" by Mrs. W. H. Jamison of the section. Miss Evelyn Hamburger sang "Come, Darling, Come!" by Frederick Stevenson, and Mrs. John O. Lowe sang "Life" by the same composer. Mrs. Jamison played a "Valse Fantastique" by J. Wood Porter. Mrs. George Williams sang a "Serenade" by Frank Colby, and Miss Hellman sang "Love Lies Sleeping Under a Rose Bush" by H. Edmund Earle of Pasadena. Mrs. C. F. Noyes read notes on current events in music.

At the close of the programme tea and cakes were served.

New One at Riverside.

A number of women, prominent in Riverside club work, met Wednesday at the Universalist Church parlors and organized an "extemporaneous drill club," the object of which will be to perfect its members in parliamentary usage and in debate. The following officers were elected by unanimous vote: President, Mrs. Mary E. Darling; first vice-president, Mrs. Louise Deere; second vice-president, Dr. L. H. Clarke; recording secretary, Mrs. G. Cunningham; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Hattie Heath; treasurer, Mrs. Juliet Stibbens; directors, Mrs. Button, Mrs. Jennie Simms, Mrs. Rhoda Rouse, Mrs. Sarah Dennis, Mrs. H. L. Lunt.

Rev. A. W. Cross made an interesting snort talk on "Does the Education of the Present Day Favor Idleness?" Thirty-five ladies signed the constitution.

Long Beach Ebell.

The current events section of the Ebell Society met at the home of Mrs. Densmore on Tuesday evening. It being the birthday week of Lincoln, the principal subject discussed was the life and work of this great man. Miss Owen, Miss Mosher and Mr. Pease gave exhaustive character sketches, Miss Mosher read Lowell's poem on Lincoln's death, and Mr. Pease closed his remarks with the verses written by Tom Taylor, the correspondent of London Punch, who had bitterly caricatured Lincoln almost up to the day of his death. This poem was a full recantation of and an appreciative tribute to the real man that the poet had at last been forced to recognize under the rough exterior. Miss Hall gave an interesting account of Miss Stone, her capture and retention by the brigands.

The members and guests enjoyed the usual pleasant social hour after the exercises.

Azusa Meeting.

Th Azusa Woman's Club held its regular meeting on Wednesday afternoon. The principal feature of the programme was an address by Miss Elisabeth Kenney of Los Angeles on the property rights of women under California law. Miss Kenney's exposition of the subject, being given from a professional point of view, was very interesting, and brought out many points new to the club members. Following the address was a question box conducted by Miss Kenney, which proved a very profitable exercise. After the programme was completed a social hour was spent, and tea was served by the ladies. Mrs. Wheeler and Miss Jaycox of the Monrovia Saturday Afternoon Club, were present as guests, as were also several ladies from Glendora and Duarte.

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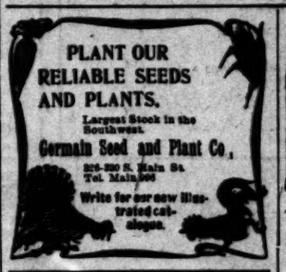

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- A New England Nun, by Mary E. Wilkins.
- Princess Alice, by Richard Harding Davis.
- A Little Journey in the World, by C. D. Warner.
- Pembrook, by Mary E. Wilkins.
- House Boat on the Styx, by J. K. Bangs.
- Pursuit of the House Boat, by J. K. Bangs.
- Life on the Mississippi, Mark Twain.
- The Refugees, by Conan Doyle.
- Anne, by Constance F. Woolson.
- The Coast of Bohemia, by W. D. Howells.
- The Bread Winner.
- The Great Stone of Sardis, by F. R. Stockton.
- Rowsay in Boston, by Mary L. Pool.
- A Transplanted Rose, by M. E. W. Sherwood.
- Philip Winwood, by R. N. Stephens.
- Phroso, by Anthony Hope.
- The Maid of Maiden Lane, by Amelia Barr.
- A War Time Wooing, by Capt. Chas. King.
- A Splendid Sin, by Grant Allen.
- The Gadfly, by E. Voynich.

New Dress Skirts.

A big assortment of black broadcloth and pebble dress skirts has just been received. They are trimmed the latest manner, reflect new styles, are well lined and tremely well made.

Black Broadcloth dress skirt trimmed with satin bands, lined with good quality percaline. Price .....

Black broadcloth dress skirt trimmed on seams with taffeta bands, percaline lining. Price .....

Black pebble cheviot dress skirt trimmed on dip flounce with nine rows satin bands, percaline lined. Price .....

Black broadcloth skirt trimmed with mohre silk bands and applique figures, percaline lined. Price .....

WHAT OTHERS ADVERTISE — We Sell For Less

Friday's Surprises

FASHION'S CORSET — Royal Regent

Croquet Sets

4 ball croquet sets, complete with wickets, etc. Balls and stakes fancy striped and painted. Mallets oiled. Regular 85c sets special at..... 69c

THIRD FLOOR.

Kid Dolls

12 inch kid dolls with jointed hips, life-like bisque heads and pretty curly wigs. Regular 30c ones special at..... 23c

THIRD FLOOR.

Fancy Silks

1000 short lengths of silks suitable for waists, linings and trimmings, ranging from ½ to 8 yards in each piece, all good desirable silks. Colors and colorings are perfect in fancy and plain silks. These silks have sold for $1.00 to $1.50 a yard, but on account of short lengths they all go at one price. Friday special per yard..... 39c

Dressing Sacques

Some pretty warm dressing sacques made of a good quality of eiderdown trimmed with a crocheted edge. Come in red and blue. 75c values as a surprise Friday at..... 59c

SECOND FLOOR.

Eiderdown Sacques

Dressing sacques made in pretty yoke style. All wool eiderdown trimmed with a wool crocheted edge. All colors. Regular $1 line for Friday at..... 69c

SECOND FLOOR.

Oil Cloth

Regular 30c quality floor oil cloth, enamel top in pretty patterns per yard 19c

FOURTH FLOOR.

Dressing Saques

Plain and sailor styles made of all wool ripple eiderdown. All the desirable colors. Handsome, well made saques, worth $2.00 at regular prices; a surprise at..... 98c

SECOND FLOOR.

Flannelette Wrappers

All our flannelette wrappers worth up to $1.75 are included in this offer. Perfect fitting goods made with ruffle and brettles; special Friday at, your choice, for..... 98c

SECOND FLOOR.

Flannel Waists

Our entire line of flannel shirt-waists, worth up to $2.00. Plain and trimmed styles made in various pretty ways. A large assortment; special Friday at..... 79c

SECOND FLOOR.

Ladies' Kimonos

Ladies' kimonos made of figured flannelette with figured or plain borders. Good warm quality of flannelette neatly cut; made and finished; $1.37 value at..... 75c

SECOND FLOOR.

Chamber Sets

Plain white chamber sets, including six good pieces. Two styles to choose from. Set includes pitcher, basin, chamber, mug and soap dish. A Friday special cut from $1.75 to..... $1.39

THIRD FLOOR.

Lining Remnants

1000 yards of remnants of mercerized sateen worth up to 35c a yard when cut from the piece. Choice, rich colors, in lengths from 1 to 6 yards, suitable for lining waists, jackets, skirts, etc. Full 1 yard wide. Offered for a surprise Friday at, per yard.... 17c

New Hats

Handsome new styles, some worth as much as $2.00. Ladies' roll brim turban shape in black and colored straws with white corded trimmings and Hawaiian straw sailor shape with straw rosettes and velvet bands. Also an assortment of misses' sailors of Japanese or satin braid with long silk streamers. Mixed and plain straws. Some with white edge $1.00

SECOND FLOOR.

Stand Lamp

No. 2 nickel stand lamp, 16½ inches high. Fitted with a No. 2 burner and chimney complete. $1 line; special at..... 69c

THIRD FLOOR.

Hosiery Remnants

Odd lines of ladies' and children's hose. Ladies' sizes in plain black cotton with white feet, boys' and girls' fine French ribs and heavy bicycle hose. Well finished goods with double soles, heels and toes. Regular 25c and 35c values at 3 pairs for..... 50c

Underwear Specials

Regular $1.50 line of ladies' and children's fine underwear. Swiss ribbed vests and pants in wool mixture, vests and pants in all wool flat goods, also a few black wool union suits. An exceptional offer at..... 50c

SECOND FLOOR.

Children's Underwear

Boys' and girls' Jersey ribbed vests and pants in fleece lined cotton, also a few Oneita union suits in misses' sizes. Well finished goods worth 35c and 50c. On sale Friday, at..... 25c

SECOND FLOOR.

Trimmed H'd'k'ch'fs

Fine hemstitch'd lawn handkerchiefs. Some with lace corners, embroidery and lace insertion. They have become slightly soiled in window display, but will easily launder. 10c and 12½c values, all at one price Friday..... 5c

Skirt Patterns

100 outing flannel skirt patterns in light and medium colors; some have ruffles, all worth 25c and 35c. For Friday's busy selling at..... 15c

Crash Toweling

4000 remnants of crash toweling in lengths from 2½ to 5 yards. Bleached brown barred, also cotton or linen, reduced to half regular prices.

Muslin Drawers

Ladies' drawers, made of a good grade of muslin and finished with a deep ruffle and four hemstitched tucks. Offered as a surprise at..... 25c

SECOND FLOOR.

Children's Drawers

Children's drawers, made of nice muslin and finished with three tiny tucks and deep hem. Ages 1 to 4 years. Surprise Friday at..... 10c

SECOND FLOOR.

Ladies' Aprons

White lawn aprons with bib and strap over the shoulder. Suitable for nurses' aprons and for kitchen wear. Finished with deep hem. A splendid Friday special at..... 25c

SECOND FLOOR.

Waist Remnants

1000 remnants of figured waist flannels, both in the long and book fold, bright patterns, medium size figures, in lengths from 2 1-2 to 10 yards. This is a clean up of our best grade of stuffs; all are reduced 1-3 and 1-2.

Dress Prints

5000 yards of satin finished dress prints suitable for wrappers and house dresses, in dark colors, best American made, worth 7c a yard, at..... 4½c

Hemstitched Scarfs

One lot of hemstitch'd Bulgarian heavy all linen sideboard scarfs, reduced from $1.50 to..... 98c

Table Linen

600 mill lengths of Irish and German table linen, in either bleached or cream, lengths from 2½ to 5 yards, 60 to 72 inches wide. Reduced 1-3.

Curtain Prints

2000 yards figured robe and patchwork prints suitable for curtains or comforter coverings, worth 7½c yard, at..... 5c

Table Damask

25 pieces of cream table damask, wide enough for any ordinary table, a good quality for restaurants. Reduced from 35c to..... 19c

Figured Flannelettes

4000 yards of figured flannelettes. The last of our winter stock in the 12½c and 15c grade in light, medium and dark colors. Per yard..... 5c

Kid Gloves

Odd lines of fine real kid gloves with 2 or 3 clasps. Black and good colors. Every pair warranted. Regular $1.25 and $1.50 values when lines were complete. A surprise at..... 75c

Infants' Caps

White silk caps, daintily embroidered and finished with full ruche of lace. Silk ties. Comfortable and pretty. Worth 75c. Friday surprise at.... 48c

SECOND FLOOR.

Mousseline de Soie

An assortment of silk mousseline de soie which would be sold regularly at 75c a yard. Comes in purple, lavender, pink, reseda, tan, mode, cardinal, gray, etc. Slightly tender, but excellent for hat trimmings or where there is no particular strain on the cloth. An item worthy of attention at..... 25c

Boys' Suits

Wool suits in pin check and invisible overshot plaids in cheviots and cashmere with short notch collars, lapels trimmed with royal or red ladies' cloth, finished with narrow silk braid. Ages 3 to 8 years, good $2.00 values, at..... $1.39

SECOND FLOOR.

Hall Rack

18-inch diamond hall rack with three double hooks of hammered brass and 8x8 inch French mirror in the center. $1.98 value, cut to..... $1.49

THIRD FLOOR.

Alligator Hand Bag

10 inch hand bags made of alligator skin. Not a cheap imitation but a genuine article. All cloth lined and full nickel trimmed. Special value Friday at..... 98c

THIRD FLOOR.

Suit Case

22 inch rubber cloth suit case with brass spring lock and side catches. Cloth lined throughout. Leather handle and two straps in lid. Regular price $1.75. Friday surprise at..... $1.48

THIRD FLOOR.

White Blankets

10-4 size, double fleeced cotton, ends are hemmed, make excellent sheets, also used for ironing boards and table pads, no colored borders. 50c values, special Friday at..... 27c

FOURTH FLOOR.

Smyrna Rugs

Wool Smyrna rugs 18x36 inches reversible, pretty styles and colorings. Ends are fringed; regular $1.00 value. Special Friday at..... 59c

FOURTH FLOOR.

Window Shades

3x7 foot shades of good quality opaque, mounted on a first-class roller. We have too many of cream colored shades so will close them out. Worth 35c and 50c, Special Friday at..... 15c

FOURTH FLOOR.

Ebonoid Articles

Handy little articles in ebonoid finish with pretty sterling silver shields. Files, shoe horns, ink erasers, manicure knives, cuticle knives, call bells, button hooks, letter seals, curling irons and paper knives. A splendid line of exceptional values for a surprise Friday at..... 9c

Embroidery Sets

About 2500 yards, all that is left of these fine embroidery edges and insertions in broken sets, consisting of fine dainty patterns in open and close designs on a splendid cloth and the best of workmanship. A wide range of patterns to select from. Matched edges and insertions, widths 3 to 9 inches, value up to $1.00 a yard, your choice at 19c

Velvet Remnants

7 0 remnants of velvet, and corduroy suitable for cuffs and trimming, ranging from ½ to ½ yards in each piece, good, desirable colors. 50c to $1.50 qualities, on sale each length at..... 25c

Hand Lamp

13-in. plain glass lamp complete with chimney and wick. Regular 30c size. Special for a surprise Friday at..... 19c

THIRD FLOOR.

Fancy Lamp

17-in. fancy decorated lamp and shade fitted with No. 2 size burner; 45c value in crockery stores. Our price Friday..... 25c

THIRD FLOOR.

Stand Lamp

Plain heavy nickel lamp with shade and No. 2 burner, 16 in. size, worth 50c at regular price. On sale Friday at..... 39c

THIRD FLOOR.

Crystal Tankard

Light weight crystal glass tankard in pretty styles; 2-qt. Sold regularly at 35c. Cut for a surprise to..... 19c

THIRD FLOOR.

Towel Rack

13x20 in. towel rack with 2 hooks and 8x8 inch French mirror with a hammered brass border. Regular $1.49 value, cut to..... 98c

THIRD FLOOR.

Juvenile Sweaters

For tots 2 years old, German knit, made with high roll collar, toned on the side, neat circular stripes, colors maroon, royal and navy blue. $1.00 values at..... 69c

SECOND FLOOR.

Skirt Lengths

500 4-yard lengths suitable for skirt and underwear. They come in camel's hair effect, fancy in a good assortment of mixtures, cheviot plaids, colors, fancy bengaline silk and wool effect and white combinations in weave, all of which are a yard. 4-yard skirt lengths on sale at..... 98c

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